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STAMPEDE TO RATIFY.

State Demanding Treaty Action.

Leaders of Both Parties Said Tired of Uncompromising Leaders.

Plan to Solve Problem Results in Pressure Upon Lodge, Hitchcock.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—Satisfied with the progress toward solution of the treaty tangle, Senators of political parties moved today to bring greater pressure on party leaders for a compromise to insure ratification by the Senate early in January.

A full reservation group of Republicans ratifying their party leader, Senator Lodge of Massachusetts, in their opinion, the time to part company with irreconcilable foes of the treaty. It is believed that until compromise reservations got more wholehearted support from the Republicans, they were preparing to vote against for an agreement with the Democrats, the movement as well defined, but of the course of President and Senator Hitchcock of the acting Democratic reached proportions which predicted soon would take place. One prominent Democrat was said to have told friends that more than thirty-seven on that would join a movement to ratify at once on the best terms they could get.

THE WORLD SITUATION.

There was a scrambled situation in both party organizations, with no one question dominant. Democratic leaders predicted that nearly strengthen the movement for a bi-partisan conference of Senators to be followed to ratify the treaty.

Those among those who refused to go ahead without reservations insisted to be that the Democratic already had been weakened materially by too much compromising talk, and that both sides overplayed a waiting game in the belief that a break would come in the opposition.

Following their conference Sunday night Lodge, the mild reservationist, seemed confident that he would have the initiative, if necessary carrying the compromise plan forward. Monday, he and Underwood of Alabama, Democratic advocate of ratification, but it was said today their talk got nowhere.

Moreover, it became known that a formidable group of Republicans had been bringing pressure to bear to induce the party leaders to agree to any compromise which did not meet their views. Senator Johnson of California, one of the leaders of this group, declared today that he

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AMERICAN "MISSING."

One More "Mystery" in Mexico.

Arizona Relatives Fear Death of Farmer Living South of Juarez.

And Another American Well in the Tampico District is Seized by Carranza.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

JUAREZ (Mex.) Dec. 26.—William Fogel, an American farmer living south of here, has been missing for some time, according to advices received today by Edward A. Dow, American Consul at Juarez. Relatives of Fogel, who live in Phoenix, Ariz., have written to Mr. Dow for information regarding the man's whereabouts.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—Another American oil well, one of the largest in the Tampico region, has been closed by the Mexican government, the State Department was advised today. The well, it was reported, had been producing for more than a year, and was drilled in strict compliance with all regulations in force then. No particulars concerning the reported seizure have been received by the State Department.

AVIATORS WERE MURDERED.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

EL PASO, Dec. 26.—Lieuts. Cecil Connolly and Frederick Waterhouse, American aviators, who lost their lives after being forced to descend in Lower California, Mex., were murdered, according to testimony before the Senate subcommittee investigating Mexican affairs, given here today by Joe Allen Richards.

Richards, an American, discovered the bodies September 21 last on the beach of the Bays de Las Animas, when he went ashore from a little Mexican steamer to aid in replenishing the water supply of the boat.

According to his testimony today, Richards was arrested by the Mexican authorities at Santa Rosalia when he arrived there September 25 for his action in reporting the discovery of the bodies to the master of the American steamer Providencia, which was in the harbor of Santa Rosalia at the time.

He said he was kept in a cement cell for more than a day. Before he was put in the cell, Richards said, he was stripped of all clothing.

Richards testified at the hearing conducted by Maj. Dan M. Jackson of El Paso, secretary of the Senate subcommittee. None of the Senate members of the committee were present.

TESTIFIES OF DISCOVERY.

Richards said he first discovered an offensive odor while walking the beach. He saw a mound and, digging with a shell, uncovered a skull. He continued his exploration and came upon a leather boot. Pulling at the boot, he uncovered the entire body, and continued work brought the other body to light.

Richards accompanied the expedition that went to Lower California aboard the United States destroyer Ward from San Diego to recover the bodies and airplane, and said testimony given to army and navy officers aboard the Ward by Mexican residents of the country and by the crew of the Mexican steamer Esperanta was to the effect the Americans

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FAIR WILL CASE ENDS.

Famous Contest is Compromised.

Terms of the Settlement and Amount Involved are not Made Public.

The Principal Heirs Concede Restoration of Rights to Plaintiffs.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 26.—A compromise agreement in the contest over the will of the late James G. Fair, former United States Senator from Nevada, was filed here today in the Superior Court, ending years of litigation over the great estate.

The terms of the settlement were not made public, all the persons connected with the contest refusing to divulge the amount involved.

In the agreement reached today the principal heirs of Senator Fair, who are his daughters, Mrs. William K. Vanderbilt and Mrs. Herman Oelrichs and her son, Herman Oelrichs, Jr., concede that the plaintiffs, seven in number, are entitled to be restored to their rights under the Fair will.

Lieut. Wesley E. Crothers, chief of the plaintiffs in the contest, started an action about a year ago, claiming that the portion of the estate which should have gone to his mother, Margaret Fair Crothers of San Jose, was lost to her through the Supreme Court decision which broke the Fair will.

TALK OF BIG BRIBE.

During the contest, depositions were taken alleging that former Supreme Court Justice Fred W. Henshaw had taken a bribe of $400,000 for influencing the Supreme Court's decision. These charges were denied categorically and in toto by Henshaw.

Frederick W. Henshaw was made a defendant in the suit in order to bring him into court. When he had been accused of taking a bribe the plaintiffs in the action used this means to secure his testimony. He was not a beneficiary of the will.

Besides Lieut. Wesley Crothers, who formerly was in the Canadian army, the plaintiffs were Mrs. Virginia M. Tribble, Mrs. Emma J. Young, William J. Mir, Miss Eva Lena Fair, John A. Fair and Miss Florence Fair. Lieut. Crothers's mother was a sister of Senator Fair. The other plaintiffs are sons and daughters of William Fair, brother of the Senator.

The defendants in the suit, who compromised today, besides Mrs. Vanderbilt, Mrs. Oelrichs and Herman Oelrichs, Jr., grandson of Fair, Muriel and Consuelo Vanderbilt, daughters of Mrs. Vanderbilt and grand-daughters of Fair; William K. Vanderbilt, son of Virginia Vanderbilt; James S. Angus and Thomas G. Crothers, executors of Fair's will and trustees of the estate, and Frederick W. Henshaw.

The compromise agreement accepted was presented by Attorney Martin Taylor of New York, representing the Vanderbilts and Oelrichs. He has been here for several days.

TRUST FOR ESTATE.

When Senator Fair died in the early nineties his estate was variously estimated between $12,000,000 and $20,000,000.

The will established a trust comprised of the entire estate and provided that his three children, Charles Fair, Mrs. Vanderbilt and Mrs. Oelrichs, should receive the entire income from this trust during their lives. Upon the death of the last of his three children, one-half the entire property, it was provided, should be given outright to his grandchildren and the other half divided equally between all his brothers and sisters and such children of theirs as might be alive when the trust terminated.

Charles and his wife were killed in an automobile accident near Paris several years ago.

Of the brothers and sisters of Senator Fair, only one, Edward Fair, is alive now.

Notable Women in Fair Will Settlement.

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LATEST NEWS.

Gen. Stanton Dead

BALTIMORE, Dec. 26.—Gen. David L. Stanton, aged 80 years, a famous commander of Union forces in the Civil War, died today. He came from a long line of fighting stock. His grandfather, Elijah Stanton, was a colonel in the Revolutionary Army. Gen. Stanton was brevetted for gallantry in the Battle of Five Forks, Va. He for many years was a conspicuous figure at all Grand Army reunions. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Elizabeth A. Hodson Stanton; two sons, Harold Stanton of Los Angeles and Andrew Denison Stanton of Ridley, Md.; two daughters, Mrs. C. Lee Sward of Wilmington, Del., and Mrs. Paul C. Bommerwell of this city.

Capitalist a Suicide

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 26.—Leon Guggenheime, 68 years old, retired San Francisco capitalist, was found dead in an arm chair in his home here today. A revolver lay by his side. His nurse had left his side but a few minutes and returned to find his lifeless body. Guggenheime had been confined to his home with heart trouble for the past six months, and his physician announced the condition had caused temporary insanity. Guggenheime was vice-president of the Imperial Oil Company and former partner in the firm of Mack & Co., wholesale druggists. A widow and two daughters survive.

Burn Soldiers to Death

VLADIVOSTOK, Monday, Dec. 15.—Two officers and one soldier of the Omsk all-Russian government garrison at a small station south of Habarovsk were burned to death by anti-government forces today. The rebels, apparently a portion of the troops who recently revolted under the leadership of Gen. Gaida, numbering about 250, swept down on the garrison of twenty-five men and fired the box cars in which the government force had been living. Part of the government force, taking two machine guns and a number of rifles, joined the rebels, who fled to the hills.

Japanese are Reinforced

VLADIVOSTOK, Thursday, Dec. 18.—Because of growing unrest in the Suchan mining district, the Japanese garrison there has been reinforced by a section of the Twenty-second Regiment from Vladivostok. Russian troops at at Suchan have been ordered to Vladivostok. It was announced these troops, who did not go over to the anti-government forces in the uprising of December 2, were relieved from duty at Suchan because they were not provided with proper clothing to withstand the severe winter there. It was declared there was small danger of their joining the anti-government forces.

Dr. Vermilye Located

NEW YORK, Saturday, Dec. 27.—Dr. William Grey Vermilye, who failed to appear for his wedding with Miss Ruth M. Keeney at Monson, Mass., on Christmas Day, was located this morning at the Cumberland-Street Hospital in Brooklyn, according to a statement issued by the police at 2.20 a.m. The police stated that they had been informed by a physician at the hospital that Dr. Vermilye had undergone a slight operation and that they had been requested to give out no information about the case.

OVER SCORE OF DEATHS IN EASTERN STATES CAUSED BY WOOD ALCOHOL BEVERAGE

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CHICOPEE (Mass.) Dec. 26.—Thirty-five deaths had resulted tonight from the drinking of liquor bought in Hartford, Ct., and drunk in this city, Holyoke and Hartford. Yesterday, last night and today eighteen men and one woman died in Chicopee, ten men in Hartford, five in Holyoke and one in Springfield.

A number of other men were in a critical condition tonight at hospitals in Holyoke and Springfield.

Four men were under arrest in Hartford and two in Chicopee pending the result of autopsies.

Police investigations in Hartford indicated that the liquor, which was sent to that city from New York, contained wood alcohol. Part of it was sold at a bar in Hartford, part was bought at that place by persons who carried it away and part was sent to a hotel in Chicopee Falls.

State and Federal authorities in Massachusetts and Connecticut were aiding the police of Chicopee, Hartford, Holyoke and Springfield tonight in their efforts to determine responsibility for the deaths.

TWO UNDER ARREST.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SPRINGFIELD (Mass.) Dec. 26.—Twenty-one men and one woman are dead and several others critically ill in hospitals here and in Holyoke as the result, it is believed, of drinking some noxious form of alcohol contained in liquor which they are said to have bought Christmas Day.

Three more deaths were reported late tonight, one of them believed to be due to alcoholic intoxication.

Five other men are not expected to live the night out.

Two men were arrested by the Chicopee police tonight and are being held pending autopsies. They are Charles Perry and William A. Baker, a bartender of the American House, Chicopee Falls.

Police and State authorities began an investigation today and it was reported by the police tonight that the liquor had been traced to Hartford, where it was purchased earlier in the week. Until autopsies have been performed, no statement will be given out by the police, it is expected these autopsies will be performed late tonight.

Later tonight the Chicopee police announced that Alex Perry, proprietor of the American House in Chicopee Falls, had left the city, and a search had not revealed his whereabouts. Charles Perry, his brother, was released tonight, under $10,000 bond, pending outcome of the autopsy.

MANY MORE ILL.

The police and physicians believe there are many more ill as a result of drinking the liquor and have not yet been reported, as the police declared considerable of the liquor was sold in this section.

Although Medical Examiner Fletcher would not state positively that the deaths were due to wood alcohol, it was stated at the hospitals that the cases no doubt were due to this form of alcohol. The victims

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OFFICERS FOLLOW SIMS IN REFUSAL OF AWARDS

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—Secretary Daniels tonight ordered the Navy Department's board of awards reconvened Monday, January 5, to revise the recent recommendations as to naval awards, which have been the source of a controversy brought to a head a few days ago by declination of Admiral Sims to accept the Distinguished Service Medal while the awards remained as at present.

The order to convene the board was made public late tonight following receipt of reports from Newport, R. I., that Vice-Admiral Hilary P. Jones and Capt. Raymond D. Hasbrouck had followed Admiral Sims in refusing to accept the medals bestowed on them, disagreeing with the policy of determining the officers to be awarded for services during the war. Secretary Daniels, it was said at the Navy Department, however, had received no information as to the declination of Capt. Hasbrouck or the reported declination of Admiral Jones.

The Secretary's order to reconvene the board, addressed to Rear-Admiral A. M. Knight, chairman, follows:

"While approving in the main the recommendations of the board of awards, my examination into the subject has convinced me that there are a number of cases requiring further examination and there have been additional recommendations since your board adjourned, which require examination by a board of officers.

"I felt in going over the list that the board had been too liberal, particularly as regarded officers whose duty during the war was mainly or altogether on shore. I felt that reports, some of which had not come to your board, particularly as to men who had served and suffered in the war zone, justified additional awards.

"No official approval of any list has been made. All lists published were tentative. Last week I ordered changes made in the list as printed awarding the Distinguished Service Medal, among others, to Admirals Knight, Caperton and Vice-Admiral Jones. I had also decided that like awards should be given to certain other officers who had rendered long and arduous service on convoys and other service afloat in the war zone.

"I feel that nothing should be left undone as far as is humanly possible to insure that the awards shall be made without the possible suggestion of injustice or discrimination against any person in the naval service, and I have therefore decided to reconvene the board of awards to reconsider the whole subject in the light of the additional information recently sent to the bureau of navigation and such other information as any other person in the naval service may wish to lay before the board.

"The board will therefore meet in Washington on Monday, January 5, 1920."

EXPECT MORE REJECTIONS.

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—Disclosure today that two naval officers had followed the lead of Admiral Sims in declining awards for distinguished war service, and that Admiral Sims had censured Admiral Wilson in a report to the Secretary of the Navy, which Mr. Daniels ignored in appointing Admiral Wilson to the command of the Atlantic Fleet, added force to the Sims-Daniels imbroglio.

Rear-Admiral Jones and Capt. Hasbrouck had been given navy crosses, the same mark of distinction which Secretary Daniels has conferred upon Rear-Admiral Cary T. Grayson, who served during the war as personal physician to President Wilson.

Further rejection of awards is expected, according to reliable reports from navy circles, and it was stated tonight that Rear-Admiral Henry T. Mayo, who was allotted the Distinguished Service Medal will officially decline the honor as soon as he is formally notified of the award.

All the departmental rows of the Daniels administration are now coming to a head. Officers are dividing into the Sims and Daniels factions, and the entire situation is one threatening preservation of the morale of the navy. It would not be at all surprising if Congress should embark upon an investigation of the whole Daniels regime, one member of the Senate Committee on Naval Affairs having stated that he contemplated offering a resolution calling for such comprehensive inquiry.

Both Sims and Wilson were vice-admirals during the war, Wilson being in command of American warships in French waters, and Sims,

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RHINE VALLEY FLOODED.

[BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

COLMAR (Alsace) Dec. 26.—The plain between the Rhine and the railroad from Mulhausen to Schlettstadt is one vast sheet of water. Inhabitants of many villages in the valley have been driven from their homes. At St. Croix a number of houses have been swept away and several persons injured.

NANCY (France) Dec. 26.—The floods are subsiding as rapidly as they rose. The damage is estimated at more than 10,000,000 francs. Most of the metal and other industrial plants ceased operation. Railroad communication is partially interrupted, large portions of the track of the city having been washed away.

TROYES, Dec. 26.—The Seine and the Aube are rising rapidly. Inhabitants of the Mathaux quarter have been obliged to evacuate their dwellings.

DETROIT AUTO UNION BARS LEGION.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

DETROIT, Dec. 26.—Members of the International, Automobile, Aircraft and Vehicle Workers of America are forbidden to hold membership in the American Legion by a ruling of the by-laws of the international organization adopted 30 days ago, it was announced tonight. The action was taken, according to I. Paul Taylor, secretary of the union, because of the "uses to which the Legion has been put by certain factions."

The amended by-laws order all members of the union who are now affiliated with the American Legion to resign within thirty days, it was said. The recommendation was also made that those who desired to belong to a service organization join the Private Soldiers' and Sailors' Legion.

The amendment was adopted, it was said, upon recommendation of the board of administration after it had considered allegations that the American Legion had been active in "breaking" the strikes of the New York longshoremen, the Boston policemen and the Kansas miners.

CALIFORNIA BOOM IN CORPORATIONS.

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 26.—[illegible] and 500 per cent. [illegible] corporations have been [illegible] California during [illegible] year than in previous [illegible] according to K. C. Belshaw, Corporation Commissioner.

[illegible] in the corporation [illegible] began shortly after [illegible] of the armistice, [illegible] 11, 1918, said Belshaw, and the increase has [illegible] in all kinds of [illegible]. The volume of [illegible] being done by the [illegible] department is indicative of the prosperity of the [illegible] Belshaw stated.

TOWING DISABLED STEAMER TO PORT.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

HALIFAX (N. S.) Dec. 26.—A radio message received tonight reported that the British steamer Mesaba, which went to the assistance of the disabled British steamer Kamarima Tuesday, took her in tow today and headed for St. Johns, N. F. The Kamarima, bound for Halifax, was 180 miles south of St. Johns when she sent out her first calls for help Monday. Because of heavy weather the Mesaba, bound from London to New York, could not put a line aboard the other vessel until today.

TURKESTAN CONTINUES FIGHT ON BOLSHEVIKI.

ANTI-RED FORCES OCCUPY FERGHANA CITIES, KEEPING UP ADVANCE.

[BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

IRKUTSK, Dec. 25.—The uprising in Turkestan against the Bolsheviki continues, according to a wireless message sent out by the soviet government at Moscow. The anti-Bolshevik forces have occupied the city of Khokan and Shokelley, in Ferghana province, and are advancing on Tashkent.

Insurrections by the social revolutionaries have occurred at various points in the province of Irkutsk and in Irkutsk city. The government has taken measures to put down the uprisings.

EXTRA TRAIN ADDED FOR RUSH OF PORTLAND-TO-CALIFORNIA TRAVEL.

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

PORTLAND (Or.) Dec. 26.—Travel between Portland and California points has been so heavy this fall that Southern Pacific Railroad officials have decided upon temporary operation of an additional train between this city and San Francisco.

This train will leave Portland at 10:15 p.m., beginning Sunday. It will be known officially as the second section of train No. 13, although it will leave two hours and fifteen minutes later than the first No. 13.

Only a few stops will be in made in Oregon and only operating stops will be made in California. It is therefore scheduled to arrive at Oakland at the same time as the first section. It will run via Sacramento, and passengers will use the same ferry from Oakland to San Francisco as those traveling on the first section. Equipment will include a diner, sleeping cars and probably an observation car.

ALL KANSAS MINE STRIKES ENDED.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

PITTSBURG (Kan.) Dec. 26.—A motion calling off all coal strikes now in effect in the Kansas district which had been called by the executive board of District No. 14, United Mine Workers of America, was adopted by the board in conference here late today. All striking miners affected are ordered to return to work tomorrow morning.

The action affects thirteen mines, including five operated by the Central Coal and Coke Company. Approximately 1500 men are employed in them.

The conference today was held in conformity with the promise given Federal Judge Anderson of Indianapolis by Alexander Howat, president of the district, that he would use his influence in having the strike ended.

No action was taken on the strike in effect on the Bronson, Rogers and Hirst mine since December 15. This strike was called because of the refusal of the men to work with a former member of the union who had worked with the State volunteers during the general strike. Howat stated it would have to be settled by the miners affected and by the operators of the mine.

NO NEW IOWA STRIKE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

DES MOINES, Dec. 26.—Difficulties between Iowa operators and miners over interpretations of the wage increase order will be settled by negotiations, and will not result in another strike, officials said tonight.

The wage being paid in Iowa is a flat increase of 14 per cent. over the average of the pre-strike wage scale, which varied from 39½ cents to 90 cents a ton. The scale is applicable throughout the central competitive field, which includes Iowa.

NORTHWESTERN DISPUTE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SEATTLE, Dec. 26.—The alleged refusal of the Wilkeson Coke and Coal Company of Wilkeson, Wash., to reinstate 125 miners who struck November 1, when the general strike of miners was called, was the subject of a telegram sent today by R. H. Harlin, president of district No. 10, United Mine Workers of America, to Atty.-Gen. Palmer. Harlin requested that the government take steps to compel reinstatement of the men. He charged that the action of the company in refusing to take back the miners was a violation of the injunction issued by Federal Judge Anderson at Indianapolis.

TACOMA, Dec. 26.—Specific instructions from A. Mitchell Palmer, Attorney-General of the United States, and head of the Department of Justice, a week ago counseled the Wilkeson Coal and Coke Company to leave the question of the possible discharge of nonunion ex-service men employed at their mine at Wilkeson during the strike and the reinstatement of the striking miners to the coal commission to be appointed by the President.

This was the statement tonight of John Hadley of the Wilkeson Coal and Coke Company, following the receipt in Tacoma of information that the district miners had appealed to Palmer to force reinstatement of the miners.

Mr. Hewitt said:

"Both Gov. Hart and Robert Saunders, U. S. attorney at Seattle, have promised to send some soldiers to Wilkeson to protect our miners if there is more trouble. We don't want help after somebody has been hurt, but before."

BIG COAL MOVEMENT.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

PORTLAND, Dec. 26.—Coal in

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REA SUGGESTS HIGHER RATES.

Pennsylvania Railroad Head Calls Them Essential.

Country Must be Saved from Broken-Down Lines.

Outlines the Legislation Congress Should Pass.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 26.—Samuel Rea, president of the Pennsylvania Railroad, in a statement tonight on the return of the railroads to private ownership, said it is essential that higher rates be approved by the Interstate Commerce Commission to save the country from broken-down railroads and insufficient facilities and service. Mr. Rea said the railroad bill pending in Congress should definitely provide the following essential features:

"(1.) That adequate rates be at all times maintained to prevent the roads from getting into the position from which they are now trying to emerge. For this purpose the adoption of a rate-making rule, or, if that is not acceptable, the fixing of some minimum return, is essential for the positive guidance of the commissions which regulate rates.

"(2.) Fund the war indebtedness to the government, which chiefly consists of expenditures made by the government for additions and betterments essential to carry the traffic of the war period and protect the life of the nation; and also return the roads with sufficient working capital to resume operations. The government found it essential to have working capital and the railroads were called upon to provide a large part of that working capital at the beginning of Federal control, both in money and materials and supplies.

"(3.) Continue the standard compensation as prescribed by the Federal Control Act and contract until the railroad situation has been standed by adequate rates and stronger credits.

"(4.) Provide sufficient railroad to finish additions, betterments and equipment already authorized by the United States Railroad Administration to finance additional new work and equipment that should be authorized in 1920 and also to enable the railroads to provide for securities maturing in that year.

"The government," Mr. Rea said, "is not asked to make a gift to the railroad by such funding of past expenditures or for such new capital, but it will receive from the railroads the obligations evidencing such debts and requiring their payment in, say, ten years, with suitable interest. The public interest should be protected in this way; otherwise, new equipment and facilities cannot be provided in 1920."

SMITH APPROVES DATE.

[SPECIAL DISPATCH.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—A. H. Smith, president of the New York Central Railroad, made the following comment upon the announcement that the railroads will be returned to private ownership on March 1:

"The fixing of a date for the return of the railroads was wise. It will dispel the uncertainty that has existed and has adversely affected the railroad situation.

"There is, however, a big task ahead. Congress must fix standards to be observed in rate making, providing net revenues sufficient to attract additional investment in the stock and securities of roads which are properly capitalized, constructed and operated.

"A large quantity of equipment new and reconstructed is immediately required, also extensive improvements are necessary. Time is the essence as to providing such. The country has been going on. The railroads have not. The traveler and the shipper want and will want service. The prosperity of the country depends on it.

"I hope the Congress will appreciate and hasten all possible and that the investor, if satisfied with the legislation, will come forward promptly, because the need is urgent."

ARGENTINE RAILROAD STRIKE IS EXTENDING.

[BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

BUENOS AIRES, Thursday, Dec. 25.—The strike on the Argentine State Railroad, which began in the province of Jujuy in the extreme north, has extended to the provinces of Santa Fe and Salta and the territory of Chaco. Trains are operating on delayed schedules, guarded by troops. Night service has been suspended.

KINGSTON (Jamaica) Dec. 26.—The street railway employees have struck for higher pay. A Canadian company, which operates the cars, is suffering heavy loss. Under the terms of the franchise, the government will have the power to take over the affairs of the company if service is not resumed in forty-eight hours.

The marine pilots have refused to bring in or take out vessels unless their fees for this service are increased.

STANFORD UNIVERSITY AWARDS SCHOLARSHIP.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

PALO ALTO, Dec. 26.—The following students were named by the board of trustees of Stanford University today as recipients of university graduate scholarships: William A. Boekel, Rathdrum, Idaho, English; Miss Jessie M. Chase, Los Angeles, English; Sigurd von Christierson, San Jose, medicine; George H. Cloud, Fresno, history; Harold C. Hampton, Whittier, botany; Frank R. Johnston, San Jose, medicine; Elmer W. Pehrson, San Jose, mining; Clinton F. Wells, San Jose, economics.

Kimball Young of San Jose and Sidney F. Adams, L. C. M. Baas and Francis W. Bergstrom, all of Stanford University, were named as recipients of university fellows for the winter and spring quarters. Fellowships will, for the time being, be for $750 each, instead of for $500, due to the increased cost of living, it was decided.

ASH-CAN NIGHTMARE LAD'S LOVE DREAM.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 26.—Benny Sokolonski, 12 years old, today was at a hospital thoroughly thawed out, after having been cramped into an ash can in freezing weather for a day and a night.

Benny was the base of an infantile example of the age-old triangle and the other two sides were formed by Annie Baryk, 13, and Florence Moeller, 11. As a result, he had, he said, crawled into the ash can, seeking death.

Tightly clasped in his little fist when a policeman dragged him from his refuge Benny had a letter from his "loving wife, Annie," a strange grouping of childish devotion to a playmate, mature abnegation and sorrow which usually accompanies triangles.

"I know you love Florence, and I know you don't love me any more," read the letter. "But, oh, if you only knew how I love you! Don't tell Florence how much I love you, or she will be mad. If you only knew how much she loves you. Oh, I hate her!

"But if you love her better than me you can have her."

SENATE URGING TREATY ACTION.

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would change his plans and return to the capital from his home State next week.

DEMOCRATS UNCERTAIN.

In the Democratic ranks the treaty situation is complicated by the contest between Senators Hitchcock and Underwood for choice as party leader, much of the talk for a bi-partisan agreement coming from the Underwood supporters. The party caucus has been called for January 15 to elect a leader and, in the meantime, Republicans and Democrats apparently are doubtful as to who can speak with authority on the Democratic side.

Senator Hitchcock repeatedly has declared his willingness to make any compromise which does not vitally harm the treaty, but has indicated that he expects the next move to come from the Republican side. Senator Lodge also has said he would not oppose a compromise so long as the Foreign Relations Committee reservations are not vitally impaired, though he considers that the next move is up to the Democrats.

It is with this situation that the bi-partisan movement is calculated to deal, its backers declaring neither side should stand upon formality, but should earnestly try to ratify at once.

The strength of the movement could not be estimated tonight, but it was suggested that even if it could not muster the necessary two-thirds to ratify at first, it might get a majority which could bring the treaty again before the Senate and center public interest upon it and upon such compromise reservations as might be agreed to.

So the immediate compromise advocates predicted success for the enterprise. Senator Hitchcock expressed confidence that his own compromise plan would win out. Senator Lodge asserted that the committee reservations would be accepted without material change and the irreconcilables declared there would be no compromise at all.

LAWRENCE RESENTS PROFITEER CHARGE.

MASSACHUSETTS CITY SAYS WOOLEN MANUFACTURER'S ACCUSATIONS ARE WRONG.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

LAWRENCE (Mass.) Dec. 26.—The Lawrence Chamber of Commerce, in a letter sent today to William M. Wood, president of the American Woolen Company, says it has found "nothing to warrant" his recent charges that some of the merchants in this city were charging excessive prices for necessities.

Mr. Wood had threatened to open a large store here at which his employees could buy at cost unless Lawrence merchants reduced their prices.

The letter explaining the chamber's reason for not submitting comparative price lists, requested by Mr. Wood in conference with the merchants on December 17, says that "so many irregularities and differences in prices in Lawrence and other cities have been encountered that the list should be submitted "under conditions, which permit a verbal explanation."

"While Lawrence prices for certain articles are higher than in some other cities," the letter says, "there are a number of instances where articles in other cities are higher than in Lawrence. This is inevitable under present unstable conditions."

BOSTON, Dec. 26.—The State Commission on the necessaries of life today notified William M. Wood, president of the American Woolen Company that "a careful analysis of figures it has gathered, "shows that prices of foodstuffs in Lawrence are about the same as elsewhere."

The commission also informed him that its representative, who attended his conference with Lawrence merchants December 17, reported his charges of excessive prices in that city, "did not seem to be proved."

It offered to assign a date for a public hearing.

Oriental Bride Accused Smuggler,

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 26.—Mrs. Thomas Vint, young bride of a Hongkong business man, who arrived here from Seattle several days ago, after coming to the United States from the Far East, was arrested here today by a special agent of the Treasury Department on a charge of smuggling. It is claimed by the government that Mrs. Vint brought from China eight aigrette plumes, valued at thousands of dollars. The government will produce at Mrs. Vint's preliminary hearing, set for tomorrow, two sports skirts, in the seams of which, it is alleged, she had sewed the plumes.

CLAIM SIBERIAN TROUBLE SOLVED

America and Japan to Reach Amicable Agreement.

Terms Contained in Secret Diplomatic Note.

Say Railway was Source of Misunderstanding.

[BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

VLADIVOSTOK, Thursday, Dec. 18.—A common ground on which to base joint action in Siberia has been reached by the United States and Japan, according to announcement given out here by the Japanese official publicity bureau. The announcement said:

"Genuine satisfaction is expressed in influential quarters that a common ground has been reached by Japan and America for basing joint action in Siberia. This is particularly pleasing to those who have observed with regret that Siberian policies of the two countries at times seemed to follow divergent courses."

The announcement was contained in a summary given to the Russian press as the Japanese view of the situation in Siberia. This was dated "Tokio, December 2," and included a review of the policies of Japan and the United States since joint action was instituted here.

RAILWAY A THORN.

"At the time troops first were dispatched to Siberia there was no divergency of policy between Japan and America," it said, "but the course of time changed this situation and led America to make the question of management of the trans-Siberian Railway the main object of its Siberian policy, relegating the support of the Omsk government (Admiral Kolchak's all-Russian government) to a secondary position.

"On the other hand, Japan made assistance of the Omsk government its principal aim, regarding the railway question as one of secondary importance. Most of the trouble between Japan and America in Siberia arises from this situation, but it now is believed all clouds of mistrust and doubt will be swept away by proposals Japan has made to America in a recent diplomatic note, the exact nature of which cannot be disclosed now.

The note is the result of Japan's decision to modify her policy of active assistance to the Omsk government, and base her Siberian policy on the guarding of the railway lines and maintaining order in districts adjoining them, thereby insuring tranquility in the Far East.

DEALING WITH ALLIES.

"In pursuance of this plan, negotiations are progressing between Japan and the Allied nations."

The publicity bureau, discussing the attitude of the Japanese press toward Japan's policy in Siberia, said in a statement accompanying the official announcement:

"All the important newspapers of Japan agree in opposing large reinforcements of Japan's forces in Siberia. The Japanese press lays emphasis on the fact that because of that country's geographical propinquity (to Siberia) Japan should take the lead in laying down the new Siberian policy demanded by the changed situation. The Japanese press speaks for a rapprochement with the liberal elements in Siberia. It expresses no sympathy for any group of reactionaries."

DENIES MISTREATMENT OF A.E.F. PRISONERS.

FORMER LIEUTENANT CONTRADICTS WORDS ABOUT MAKING OF BOLSHEVIKI.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—After stating at a preliminary investigation last July that barbarous methods of the Department of Criminal Investigation at Le Mans made Bolsheviki, Leo J. Rasche of Oakland, Md., former lieutenant in the D. C. I., testified today at the trial of Capt. Karl W. Detzer, on charges of cruelty, that he had only seen one prisoner mistreated while serving under the accused officer. Rasche, who was called as a witness for the defense, said the ill treatment he recalled was when Sergt. Frank Hoyt struck a prisoner, for which, he declared, Detzer had the sergeant transferred.

ADMITS STATEMENT.

Under cross-examination, Rasche admitted he had made the statement about Bolshevism to Lieut.-Col. Culbertson, Inspector-General, and that he had expressed the same opinion to Capt. Detzer, other officers and several enlisted men.

"I stated to Capt. Detzer," Rasche's earlier statement said, "that I believed this organization was making Bolsheviists and that these men who had been in the trenches and had been billeted under leaky roofs in the devastated territories and had gone through all that sort of thing would naturally hold some harsh memories of their experience and the war; that precursion and continual interference with their business in the embarkation area would add to their bitterness and general discontent and would make them anarchists and Bolsheviki."

PRIVATE DENIES CHARGE.

Private Carl Faulkner of Arlington, Ky., who, after having served at the Dardanelles with the British forces, joined the Second American Division and became attached to the Three Hundred and Eighth Military Police, also denied brutal treatment had been given prisoners. He testified they had been fed at company mess and some had been forced at times to sleep on the floor for lack of better accommodations, but so had Capt. Detzer.

Capt. Detzer will take the stand in his own behalf, his counsel announced today. It is expected Col. William Rivers Pope, commandant of the Tennessee Military Academy at Sweetwater, formerly provost marshal at Le Mans, also will be called by the defense.

MAIL BY AIR TO CANADA.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WINNIPEG, Dec. 26.—Plans are completed for the establishment of an aerial mail line between Winnipeg and St. Paul next summer, it was announced today. A Canadian charter has been granted the Airplane Company.

Returns to Job of Tantalizing America.

Gen. Candido Aguilar.

MEXICO CITY, Thursday, Dec. 25.—[By the Associated Press.] Gen. Candido Aguilar will resume his office as Secretary of Foreign Relations on January 2, it is stated on good authority here. Gen. Aguilar arrived in this city today after spending several months in Europe on a special mission.

NEW OUTRAGES BELOW BORDER.

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were murdered. Equipment of the airplane was found aboard the Esperanto when that boat was overhauled and made fast to the Ward, according to Richards. The airplane was found twenty miles from the beach.

The Esperanto was seized when a Mexican ashore told American officers the boat had brought the aviators to the bay for water for their airplane.

Wild animals had attacked the bodies of the aviators, according to Richards, who were buried only under six inches of sand when he found them. Flesh from the upper part of their bodies had been eaten away, he said.

In the rough grave Richards said he found a bar of iron two feet long. The skull of Waterhouse had been crushed, he said, and Connolly's body and clothing indicated he had been stabbed.

Richards related warnings he alleged were made by the Mexican captain of the boat on which he traveled down the Gulf of California against reporting discovery of the bodies.

Richards told of the notes to their families left by the aviators and markings on the airplane wings which indicated they had been there seventeen days and had been forced to drink water from their radiator, all the time steadily losing strength and hope of rescue.

MEXICAN SILVER SCARCE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

EL PASO, Dec. 26.—Fear that the scarcity of silver specie may compel issue of paper money in Mexico is being expressed in banking circles of Mexico City, according to El Heraldo, a newspaper of that city. The high price of silver is said to be making it impossible for the government to continue coining this metal. Quantities of silver are being smuggled across the boundary line between the United States and Mexico, according to the newspaper.

BUYS LAND FOR YAQUIS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

DOUGLAS (Ariz.) Dec. 26.—The Federal government of Mexico has completed the purchase of 15,000 acres of land in the region of Morecutit and Huatabampo, Sonora, on which the Yaqui Indians are to be allowed to settle. The Indians are to be invited by the Federal government to become peaceful farmers, according to Orientacion, a Hermosillo newspaper. Indians who refuse will be hunted down and exterminated, according to the newspaper. The distribution of the land is to start about January 1.

Gen. P. Elias Calles is about to resign as Secretary of Labor, Industry and Commerce under President Carranza, according to a rumor current in Mexico City, quoted in Orientacion, a Hermosillo, Sonora, newspaper.

WILL PLACE TABLET ON JONES MONUMENT.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—Secretary Daniels, approving a resolution recently adopted by the District of Columbia Society of the Sons of the American Revolution, today requested the commission of fine arts of the District of Columbia to place a tablet at the base of the John Paul Jones monument in Washington, bearing the following words of the Revolutionary War naval hero, as made in a statement to the marine committee of Congress in 1775:

"It is by no means enough that an officer of the navy should be a capable mariner. He must be that, of course, but also a great deal more. He should be, as well, a gentleman of liberal education, refined manners, punctilious courtesy and the nicest sense of personal honor.

"He should not only be able to discipline himself rightly and with justice to his own people, but with honesty and firmness, but he should be versed in French and Spanish.

"He should be the soul of tact, patience and justice, firmness and charity. No meritorious act of subordinate should escape his attention or be left to pass without its reward. If need the reward be only one word of approval. Conversely, he should not be blind to a single fault in any subordinate, though, at the same time, he should be quick and unfailing in his distinguishing between mere mistake, thoughtlessness from incompetency and well-meant shortcomings from heedless or stupid blunder. As he should be universal and impartial in his rewards and approval of merit, so should he be steadfast and unbending in his punishment or reproof of misconduct."

Pensions Granted Californians.

[SPECIAL DISPATCH.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—Pensions: Abbie J. Baker, San Diego, $25; Delpha Bye, San Diego, $12; Mary E. Blair, Long Beach, $25; Nellie H. Taylor, Los Angeles, $25; Alice C. Totterson, Riverside, $25; Dora Holmes, Long Beach, $12; Catherine Caldwell, Venice, $25.

CHICAGO STARTS IN TO ASSIST AUSTRIA.

ORGANIZES COMMITTEE FOR RELIEF OF STARVING PEOPLE IN VIENNA.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 26.—A Chicago committee for relief of the starving people in Vienna has established headquarters, it was announced today. The Mayor recently was advised by counsel the municipality legally might aid the Viennese sufferers although the peace treaty had not been ratified. J. Ogden Armour, packer, has financed the purchase of a carload of food at Trieste. Vienna sent aid to Chicago when the city virtually was destroyed by fire in 1871, the committee said.

PRAGUE (Czecho - Slovakia) Wednesday, Dec. 24.—M. J. Irak, a government departmental chief, today was convicted of attempted bribery in an effort to put through a big sugar deal. He was sentenced to eight months' solitary confinement, loss of citizenship and confiscation of the 20,000,000 crowns he offered as the bribe.

SEES ALLIED QUARREL.

[BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

BUDAPEST, Thursday, Dec. 25.—Withdrawal of Brig.-Gen. Harry H. Bandholtz as American representative on the inter-Allied military commission to Budapest has provoked lengthly newspaper comment. The principal note of the writers is that the withdrawal was proof of the dissolution of the Entente and antagonism between the Allied and associated governments.

All the newspapers praise Gen. Bandholtz for his courageous attitude during the occupation of Budapest by the Rumanians and express the hope of strengthening the friendly attitude of the United States toward Hungary.

NO PURCHASERS FOR STATE ROAD BONDS.

BUYERS WON'T TAKE THEM AT PAR AND LAW PROHIBITS ANY SALE BELOW.

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 26.—That it will be very difficult for the State to dispose of the $12,000,000 block of the $40,000,000 of 4½ per cent. State highway bonds voted last July, to be offered for sale the early part of February, was the belief expressed today by State Treasurer Richardson.

According to Richardson, the State for months has been unable to sell 4½ per cent bonds at par, due to conditions of the bond market, and he declares this condition undoubtedly will continue for some time. There is no provision in the law permitting the State to sell the highway bonds for less than par, he said.

Although they are not cheerful as to the outlook, members of the board of control stated they believe a way will be worked out whereby the State will be able to sell the bonds.

Two weeks ago the board of control bid in $2,000,000 worth of 4½ per cent. highway bonds because there were no bidders and as yet it has been unable to dispose of any part of the block, said Clyde Seavey, a member of the board.

It is the plan of the State Highway Commission to sell the $12,000,000 block of the $40,000,000 issue to carry out its programme of spending $1,000,000 per month, on highway construction during 1920. If the bonds are not sold the programme will have to abandoned.

CHINESE OPEN WAR ON BINDING GIRLS' FEET.

[BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

KAIFENG (China) Dec. 2 (delayed.)—An organization has been launched here by leading Chinese of the city to aid in putting a stop to the ancient Chinese custom of binding the feet of female children.

Songs have been composed by members decrying the practice of foot binding and students of boys' schools are being asked to take the pledge:

"I will not marry a woman with unnatural feet."

The name of the new organization, literally translated, is "The Heavenly Feet Association."

KANSAS STRIKES ALL CALLED OFF.

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large quantities is moving over the Oregon-Washington Railroad and navigation lines from the mines of Wyoming, and Utah and Oregon markets are resuming normal conditions. Typical of conditions following the strike, seventy-three cars of commercial coal were received at Huntington from the Oregon Short Line Tuesday. While there was no strikin of coal miners in Utah, the curtailing of output of Wyoming mines was felt in the consuming markets of Portland and points in Central and Eastern Oregon.

HOLIDAY WHISKY FATAL BEVERAGE

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were affected similarly, most of them becoming paralyzed.

As soon as it was evident that some form of liquor was causing the deaths all saloons in the valley were ordered to sell no more of it. The American House in Chicopee Falls was closed and a special squad of police detailed to keep guard.

DEATHS IN HARTFORD.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

HARTFORD (Ct.) Dec. 26.—Two men died in a hospital tonight from the effects of drinking liquor sold here, bringing the local death list to ten. Hospital and police reports told of six more dangerously ill from drinking a compound believed to be largely wood alcohol. Four men, two of them saloon proprietors, are under arrest charged with murder.

NEW YORK DEATHS 28.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—Twenty-seven deaths from drinking wood alcohol and several cases of poisoning have occurred in Manhattan between November 11 and December 26, according to official figures published tonight by Chief Medical Examiner Charles Norris. Dr. Norris declared that, in his opinion, these figures did not nearly represent the full toll in death and sickness due to taking the poison as a beverage, as he believed many deaths and illnesses reported as due to other causes really were caused by drinking wood alcohol concoctions.

The official figures show only five deaths from drinking wood alcohol in Manhattan for the year 1918, and only four in Brooklyn for eighteen months prior to July 1. Dr. Norris said two ounces of ordinary wood alcohol frequently were sufficient to cause death and that, taken on an empty stomach, considerably less might produce blindness or even prove fatal.

CHICAGO, Dec. 26.—Four men were dead today from drinking wood alcohol as a substitute for whisky on Christmas Day, according to the police.

SEIZE MEXICAN BOOZE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

JUAREZ, Dec. 26.—Fourteen cases of wood alcohol, thirty-eight gallons of whisky, thirty quarts of tequilla, three bottles of champagne and two gallons of other liquor were seized by fiscal guards of the Mexican side on the international line near here tonight. Three Mexicans were arrested. All were armed.

STEEL STRIKE DUPES STILL TRUST LEADERS.

RESIDUE OF 1500 REMAIN OUT BUT STEEL MILLS NO LONGER NEED THEM.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CLEVELAND, Dec. 26.—Fifteen hundred steel men voted unanimously tonight to continue on strike and to remain away from their former employment until the strike is won or officially declared off by the national officers.

The decision was reached after they had heard the report of two of their number who had been sent to Pittsburgh to confer with W. Z. Foster, national secretary of the steel strikers. Mr. Foster said that it was his opinion that the men were making a winning fight, and that the complaint of shortage of steel was evidence of it.

The strikers also ousted from office John Kawiatkowski, vice-president, and Joseph Mrozek, corresponding secretary, who had recommended to the local that it call off the strike.

When the strike was called, 30,000 men quit work here. Many of these have found other employment and some are said to have returned to work in the steel mills.

The idleness in some of the plants, the manufacturers claim, is due more to a shortage of coal than to a lack of men.

AMERICAN LEGION HAS 6561 POSTS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

INDIANAPOLIS, Dec. 26.—American Legion posts in the United States and foreign countries now total 6561, it was announced today at national headquarters. France, England and Canada each have one post; Alaska has four; Hawaii, five; Cuba, one; Panama, one; Mexico, one, and the Philippine Islands, one. Ten States have more than 200 posts each.

New York leads with 777 posts; Pennsylvania is second with 607, Wisconsin is third with 352 posts, and Illinois fourth with 340 posts. Iowa has 245, Ohio 205, Massachusetts 239, New Jersey 224, Missouri 221, and Indiana 207.

The posts organized in other States follow:

Alabama, 94; Arizona, 29; Arkansas, 90; California, 155; Colorado, 62; Connecticut, 77; Delaware, 14; District of Columbia, 21; Florida, 55; Georgia, 79; Idaho, 60; Kansas, 187; Kentucky, 65; Louisiana, 29; Maine, 50; Maryland, 70; Michigan, 196; Minnesota, 54; Montana, 52; Nebraska, 130; Nevada, 18; New Hampshire, 60; New Mexico, 36; North Carolina, 54; North Dakota, 111; Oklahoma, 128; Oregon, 72; Rhode Island, 30; South Carolina, 47; South Dakota, 132; Tennessee, 61; Texas, 110; Utah, 100; Vermont, 78; Virginia, 126; Washington, 142; West Virginia, 66; Wisconsin, 162; Wyoming, 26.

JOHNSON CAMPAIGN WILL OPEN JAN. 13.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 26.—Campaign headquarters of Senator Johnson, Republican, California, who has announced he will make the race for the Presidency, were opened here today. Senator Johnson will open his campaign January 13 in Brooklyn with an address before the Association of Republican Clubs of New York. After the Brooklyn address he will begin a speaking tour westward.

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MORE OFFICERS REFUSE AWARDS

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who ranked Wilson, being in command of all the American naval forces overseas, including the fleet under Wilson. Admiral Wilson was subordinate to Sims.

Admiral Mayo, who was in command of the battleship fleet in American Atlantic waters during the war, would not either affirm nor deny the report concerning his attitude toward the naval awards. He said that he had discussed his position with no one.

Rear-Admiral Jones is commander of the second Atlantic squadron, now at Philadelphia, and Capt. Hasbrouck commands the Philadelphia, attached to Jones's squadron.

Capt. Hasbrouck lost his ship during the war and Admiral Jones operated only in American waters. Because of this both come within the class of naval officers that Admiral Sims maintained should not have received honors given to men who had fought in the war zone or come through the vicious submarine warfare with whole ships. These officers, it is said, share Admiral Sims's opinion on this matter.

Secretary Daniels had received no information tonight that Vice-Admiral Jones and Capt. Hasbrouck had declined to accept the naval decorations recently awarded them, thereby following the example of Admiral Sims. The Secretary refused to discuss reports of the declinations as current in naval circles.

NEWPORT (R. I.) Dec. 26.—Word that Vice-Admiral Jones and Capt. Hasbrouck had followed the example of Admiral Sims in declining to accept decorations awarded them in the recently-published navy list was received in navy circles here tonight.

According to information received here, Vice-Admiral Jones, who commands the first division of the Atlantic Fleet, wrote to Secretary Daniels declining the award of the Distinguished Service Cross and protesting against certain awards to members of forces under his command during the war. His principal war commands were those of the first squadron of the patrol fleet and of the Newport News division of the cruiser and transport force.

TRANSPORT WAS SUNK.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 26.—Capt. Raymond Hasbrouck, commander of the battleship Minnesota, tonight confirmed the report that he had declined to accept the navy cross awarded him by the Navy Department. He said he "thoroughly concurred" in the views of Rear-Admiral Sims, contained in his recent letter to Secretary Daniels, "that no special award should be given officers whose ships were attacked successfully by German submarines, though no special blame should be attached for their failure.

"Concurring in the views of Admiral Sims," said Capt. Hasbrouck at his home in Bryn Mawr tonight, "I could not consistently receive the award, for the reason that I had lost my ship."

Capt. Hasbrouck commanded the transport Covington when she was sunk on July 1, 1918, returning to the United States after having landed troops in Europe. Six men lost their lives.

JAP-BUILT SHIP HERE.

Eleventh Steamer for Shipping Board Arrives in Seattle.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SEATTLE, Dec. 26.—The steel steamer Eastern Gale, the eleventh vessel built in Japanese yards for the United States Shipping Board, arrived here today from the Orient, under charter to Japanese interests. She will be delivered to the board upon unloading. Eighteen vessels are yet to be delivered by Japanese yards to the Shipping Board, according to local records. The eleven vessels completed have all brought cargoes from the Orient.

JAPAN'S MEDAL GIVEN FULLAM

American Who Headed Naval Forces in Pacific Goes Retiring San Onofre.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN DIEGO, Dec. 26.—Rear-Admiral William P. Fullam, retired, who commanded the Allied naval forces in the Pacific Coast ports during the war, has been decorated by the Emperor of Japan with the Order of the Rising Sun.

The fact became known today with the receipt by Admiral Fullam of the decoration from the Japanese Ambassador at Washington. The decoration, the Ambassador states, is in recognition of Admiral Fullam's work as commander of the Allied naval forces in the Pacific during the war, and is a token of the friendship and cooperation that prevails between the Americans and Japanese navies.

SWISS ENDANGERED BY FLOOD AND AVALANCHE

RIVER RHINE SWOLLEN TEN FEET ABOVE NORMAL, THREATENING BASLE HARD HIT.

[BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

GENEVA, Dec. 26.—Reports from the lower Alps [illegible] the Rhina River [illegible] above normal, threatening the lower Basle and towns along the German shore. Flooding is doing damage. Transportation in Basle has been reduced to a minimum. Serious floods are also reported from Alsace.

Heavy snows are causing danger in Eastern Switzerland, a fall of twenty inches being reported at Davos and St. Moritz. Many roads are stalled.

One French invalid train had a miraculous escape. The only room in which it lay was not filled with snow, the car was untouched.

Six avalanches swept down in an hour from the [illegible] mountain, overhanging and carrying down telegraph and telephone wires. This is the route the avalanches have taken. Happily, they came in the afternoon when the streets were out of doors. It is said that one avalanche passed within ten yards of a party of French and English skiers.

It will take several days to clear the roads. Many Christmas festivities were cancelled and winter sports have been temporarily suspended at Davos, where snow is blocked.

CANNOT LOCATE [illegible] FATHER-BRIDE

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

ATLANTA, Dec. 26.—Dr. [illegible] Vermilya, an Atlanta physician, said tonight he had not heard from his former son-in-law, Grey Vermilya, former [illegible] soon, who failed to appear for his wedding at Macon.

First knowledge that the bride was to have been married today or had failed to appear to her many guests to the [illegible] dispatches.

Dr. William Grey Vermilya has been a surgeon on a [illegible] Line steamer before the war and entered the naval service during the outbreak. He had been in the naval service for [illegible] years, his son said, and had [illegible] trip to South America.

"RED" PARADERS PUT UNDER BOND

"Political" Prisoners' League Gets Stiff Jolt.

"Appear in Court and Five are Arraigned.

Soldiers from Soviets En Route Home is Cheerful.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—Five persons, including Miss Gladys Grimes, sister of John P. Grimes, of Baltimore, member of the U. S. Railway Commission to Russia, were held in $1000 bonds each today on charges of disorderly conduct in connection with the Christmas Day demonstrations here of the "League for Amnesty for Political Prisoners." Bonds for all of them, participants in the attempted "walk up" Fifth avenue yesterday, have been set for next Friday.

The members of the "Free Political Prisoners Committee" of the "People's Freedom Union" appeared in court when the five were arraigned. The others arrested were Miss Gertrude Kelly, president of the Women's Council; Miss Mary [illegible] and Julius and Samuel Friedman.

MILEO'S CASE UP.

Supreme Court Justice Davis today reserved decision on motion by counsel for the joint legislative committee investigating seditious activities to have Dr. Michael Clemente, former treasurer of the Russian Socialist Federation, put in jail for contempt in refusing to answer certain questions during his examination by the committee.

Clemente's counsel was given leave this afternoon to supply authorities of the law in support of his contention that the committee, as a legislative body and not a judicial body, had no right to ask the questions it did. Deputy Attorney-General Hoper declared the committee entitled to the information it sought from Dr. Miseg, and legally entitled to compel answers.

The committee tonight issued a report, preliminary to the final report, which will be presented to the Legislature at its forthcoming session.

"Not only the larger, but also the small centers of population [illegible]," the statement said, "there [illegible] men and women now engaged in the radical revolutionary movement. Evidence also discloses the [illegible] of an extremely radical [illegible] to bear very generally and openly circulated throughout [illegible] State, principally by [illegible] located in New York [illegible]."

REDS ENJOYING TRIP.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—A wireless message from the army transport Buford, on which a number of Reds were deported from the United States, received at the War Department today said everything was fine on board the ship and the passengers contented.

Sailings between the ship officers and the passengers are carried on through Alexander Berkman, [illegible] before the Buford sailed, was [illegible] by the deportees as their leader. The radiogram, dated "At sea, Dec. 24," was as follows: "Hines, Washington. The ship is [illegible] and contented and everything is fine. Even on leaving the island of Ellis there was no disturbance. The sea is [illegible], as stated in the forecast. They are allowed on deck for exercise in the morning. They [illegible] and respectful. The weather is moderate, with rain; the sea is [illegible], average, eight knots. The course is southward for the present, but that rough seas may be encountered."

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SHING PRAISES WOMEN'S WAR WORK.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

LINCOLN (Neb.) Dec. 26.—Gen. [illegible], addressing a club luncheon [illegible] here today, lauded the [illegible] women during the war. The general declared the good morals of [illegible] was due to the work of [illegible] overseas and the "splendid [illegible] of our women at [illegible]."

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JAPAN'S MEDAL GIVEN FULLAM.

American Who Headed Allied Forces in Pacific Gets Rising Sun Order.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN DIEGO, Dec. 26.—Rear-Admiral William F. Fullam, retired, who commanded the Allied naval forces on the Pacific Coast during the war, has been decorated by the Emperor of Japan with the Order of the Rising Sun.

The fact became known today with the receipt by Admiral Fullam of the decoration from the Japanese Ambassador at Washington. The decoration, the Ambassador states, is in recognition of Admiral Fullam's work as commander of the Allied naval forces on the Pacific during the war, and as a token of the friendship and cooperation that prevailed between the American and Japanese navies.

SWISS ENDANGERED BY FLOOD AND AVALANCHE

RIVER RHINE SWOLLEN TO 9 FEET ABOVE NORMAL, WITH BASLE HARD HIT.

[BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

GENEVA, Dec. 26.—Melting snow from the lower Alps has swollen the Rhine River to twelve feet above normal, threatening to flood lower Basle and towns along the German shore. Floating trees are doing damage. Tramway service in Basle has been reduced one-half. Serious floods are also reported from Alsace.

Heavy snows are continuing in Eastern Switzerland, a fresh fall of twenty inches being reported from Davos and St. Moritz. Many trains are stalled.

One French invalid child had a miraculous escape. Though the room in which it lay was almost filled with snow, the cot was untouched.

Six avalanches swept down within an hour from the Schatzalp mountain, overhanging Davos, carrying down telegraph and telephone wires. This is the first time the avalanches have taken this route. Happily, they occurred in the afternoon when most people were out of doors. It is reported that one avalanche passed within ten yards of a party of American and English skiers.

It will take several days to open the roads. Many Christmas festivities were cancelled and winter sports have been temporarily suspended at Davos, where trains are blocked.

CANNOT LOCATE HIS FATHER-BRIDEGROOM

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

ATLANTA, Dec. 26.—Dr. John Vermilye, an Atlanta physician, said tonight he had not heard since from his father, Dr. William Grey Vermilye, former naval surgeon, who failed to appear for his wedding at Monaco, Mon.

First knowledge that his father was to have been married yesterday or had failed to appear for the ceremony came to the son through press dispatches.

Dr. William Grey Vermilye left Athens, a surgeon on a United States Line steamer before the war and entered the naval service shortly after the outbreak. He had been out of the naval service for some time, the son said, and had recently made a trip to South America.

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[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

...YORK, Dec. 26.—Five persons, including Miss Gladys Griner, daughter of John F. Griner, of Baltimore, a member of the U. S. Railway Mission to Russia, were held in $1000 bail each today on charges of disorderly conduct in connection with a Christmas Day demonstration in front of the "League for Amnesty for Political Prisoners." Bail for all of them, participants in the attempted "walk up" which ... yesterday, have been ... Friday.

...members of the "Free Political Prisoners Committee" of the "Civil Liberties Union" appeared ... when the five were arraigned. The others arrested were ... Kelly, president of the ...'s Council; Miss Mary ... and Samuel Fried-

...ELD'S CASE UP.

...Court Justice Davis today ...decision on motion by ... the joint legislative committee investigating seditious activities to have Dr. Michael ... treasurer of the Russian ... Federation, put in jail ... is refusing to answer ...questions during his examination ... the committee.

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MIDDLE WEST NEWS IN BRIEF.

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

MILWAUKEE, Dec. 26.—Housewives have opened their fight on the high cost of living. A new brand of flour is placed on sale at $2 below the present prices. A boycott in the early part of the week brought down the price of dairy and poultry products.

Ray Smith, who purchased the Republican House, takes charge January 1.

William A. Davidson, manager of the Harley-Davidson Motorcycle Company, is made the defendant in two suits of $10,000 each. The complainants allege they were injured by Davidson's automobile.

Mrs. Henry M. Youmans of Waukesha has been appointed chairman of women's activities, Wisconsin Republican State Central Committee, by George A. West, State chairman.

INDIANAPOLIS.

INDIANAPOLIS, Dec. 26.—Vice-President Thomas R. Marshall was the guest of the Indiana Democratic Club here today and spoke briefly on the conditions in the U. S. Senate.

An extra force of clerks was busy today handing out automobile license plates to applicants.

Funeral services for the Rev. James J. Wade, rector of Holy Cross Catholic Church, will be held Monday morning at the church.

Accountants and engineers for the Public Service Commission have gone to Logansport to examine the municipal electric department and plant there.

Fred R. Cowles, national secretary of the Phi Delta Theta college fraternity, announced that the annual convention of the society, which was to open at Atlanta December 29, had been called off.

James Splann, 88, a pioneer resident of Indianapolis, died today.

County Auditor Leo K. Fesler announced today that a total of $185,-906 in unpaid taxes will be carried over to next year, when they will be collected with the penalties added.

ST. LOUIS.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 26.—Dr. John W. Crowder, during the last thirty-five years a veterinarian in St. Louis county, fell dead at his home today.

Edward R. Sandlan, 23 years old, secretary of the Handlan-Buck Railway Supply Company, a son of Alexander H. Handlan, wealthy president of the same concern, will be married tomorrow evening in Chicago to Miss Caroline Kohl, 25 years old, an actress.

Ida Mae Bose, 2 years old, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bose, 819 North Eighteenth street, East St. Louis, was fatally burned at her home Christmas Eve.

Mrs. Kate Lutner, 48, 2624 McNair avenue, was found dead in the kitchen of her home today. Two gas burners, unlighted, were open and the doors locked.

From pulpit orator to life insurance agent is the step determined upon by Rabbi Samuel Sale, who retires tonight as rabbi of Temple Sharre Emeth, after thirty years' continuous service.

Congressman L. C. Dyer's bill appropriating $1,000,000 for a government building at Fourth and Chestnut streets has been placed on file for immediate consideration by the Senate Committee on Public Buildings.

The will of the late Lawrence B. Pierce, for whom the Pierce Building was named, was filed today in the probate court. Pierce died December 8. His will leaves $5 each to his three children, Mrs. George Breaker, Richard A. Pierce and Miss Katherine Pierce. The rest of the estate goes to his widow.

OMAHA.

OMAHA, Dec. 26.—J. G. McNichols, 65 years old, 2321 Webster street, was badly injured today when struck by an automobile.

Friends of Mayor Smith are preparing to boost him for Governor, despite his declared intention not to be a candidate.

J. David Larson, the new commissioner of the Chamber of Commerce, will arrive tomorrow to assume his new work. He comes from Salt Lake City.

The foreign language law was today upheld by the State Supreme Court. The law prevents the teaching of any foreign language in any school below the ninth grade. The German Lutheran and Polish Catholic churches fought the case in court.

Judge S. H. Sedgwick, judge of Nebraska Supreme Court for fifteen years, died suddenly last night.

Nineteen robberies and eight hold-ups were pulled off last night.

DES MOINES.

DES MOINES, Dec. 26.—Miners at the Eagle mines, Des Moines struck today, alleging that the operators are not giving them 14 per cent. increase.

C. D. Jones of Toledo, known as "Jones, the ink man," because of his many years as a traveling salesman for ink, is dead.

Willis Cornet has been held to the grand jury at Creston for white slavery.

Worley Smith has bought the Stickelman home north of Clarinda for $20,000, $1000 an acre.

Orville Piattett of Perry, a brakeman, was killed at Boone.

Three children of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bolles were burned to death when fire destroyed their home at Anthon.

Editor Henry Cobb of Oelwein Iowa, is dead, aged 67.

Members of the faculty of Simpson College have been given a 10 per cent. salary increase.

Although it has been 19 below zero in Des Moines, contractors report that the ground is not frozen, due to the heavy snow covering.

After searching thirty-five years for his sister, Mrs. C. M. Buschay, Charles Baldwin, 79, of Caddoa, Col., located her in Des Moines.

ST. PAUL.

ST. PAUL, Dec. 26.—The annual Christmas festival closed tonight with exercises at the Auditorium, where 10,000 persons gathered.

An ordinance was adopted by the Council today providing for the construction of the Groveland Park school at a cost of $110,000.

Mrs. James J. Hill, who had been seriously ill, is reported out of danger.

Cy Lyons and Mark Madigan will make the trip tomorrow to Stillwater prison to begin serving sentences of fifteen and five years, respectively, for connection with the Ramsay county treasury scandal.

DETROIT.

DETROIT, Dec. 26.—Members of Detroit local No. 16, Automobile, Aircraft and Vehicle Workers of America, who are members of the American Legion, were ordered to resign from the Legion or pay a fine of $100 in a by-law adopted by the union workers at a meeting this evening.

Mr. and Mrs. William L. Baldwin, 491 Euclid avenue, were instantly killed last night by an automobile driven by Norman Olson. Olson, who is minus one eye, declares he did not see the couple crossing the street.

Robert C. Bialy, formerly a leading hardware merchant of Bay City, died suddenly today.

Dr. John P. Bland, a prominent physician of Adrian, was arraigned today on a charge of manslaughter in connection with the death of 19-year-old Katherine Smith of Addison.

KANSAS CITY.

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 26. — The price of a new certificate of membership in the Kansas City board of trade will be $10,000 after January 3, if an amendment to the by-laws proposed by the directors is voted on favorably. It is expected to be adopted.

A committee on finance to collect $50,000 to be offered to the National Democratic Committee at Washington was named today at a luncheon of the Democratic National Convention Committee of the Chamber of Commerce and representatives of civic bodies.

Although the country goes dry officially January 16, 1920, booze will be a dominant issue in the Missouri elections next year. As long as St. Louis remains a part of Missouri, and the liquor interests have the slightest hope of a come-back, attempts will be made to elect wet candidates in both parties.

MINNEAPOLIS.

MINNEAPOLIS, Dec. 26.—A bandit last night beat Mrs. E. J. Nugent, 920 East Nineteenth street, into unconsciousness, and then took diamonds valued at $10,000. She was attacked in front of her apartment.

Abolition of all city boards and commissions, and possibly the drafting of a new charter, is a plan in the process of formation.

The Pan Motor libel suit for $1,000,000 against the Better Business Bureau, formerly the vigilance committee of the Minneapolis A. D. Forum, will be dropped shortly, it became known today.

Minneapolis today enjoyed regular spring, following a fairly cold Christmas.

FUGITIVE BANK CLERK TURNS UP A WAR HERO.

CROIX DE GUERRE MARINE RE-ENLISTS IN NAVY, REARRESTED, ON PAROLE.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

BOSTON, Dec. 26.—That Howarth E. Abbott, long wanted as a fugitive from justice for the theft of $15,000 from the Federal Trust Company of this city, enlisted in the marines, and as Sergt. William H. Haskell was cited for brilliant war service, was disclosed today when it was announced that he had been set free on probation by the District Attorney, and that he had received the Croix de Guerre officially under his right name.

DISAPPEARED IN 1917.

Abbott, who was employed as a bank book-keeper at $20 a week, disappeared in the fall of 1917, after the bank loss became known, and it was learned that he had been living like a man of wealth and leisure away from his family.

He evaded a nation-wide search for him and enlisted in the Marine Corps at New Orleans as Haskell and went overseas with the Sixth Regiment. He was one of the forty-four men left of the famous 1300 marines who went through the Argonne. He was cited for bravery after capturing a machine gun and nine prisoners near Vierzya on July 19, 1918.

After receiving an honorable discharge last January he immediately re-enlisted as Haskell. He was detailed aboard the U.S.S. Dolphin in July and ordered to Portsmouth, N. H., where he was recognized and arrested. Dist.-Atty. Pelletier of Boston, on learning of his service record, ordered his release on probation.

DECORATED ON SHIP.

He was rearrested by the Navy Department, charged with enlisting under a false name, but his commanding officer, Capt. John Grady of the gunboat Dolphin, effected his release within a short time, and a few days later decorated him as Arthur Abbott, with the Croix de Guerre, before the ship's crew and a marine detail drawn up at attention.

The citation accompanying the decoration was signed by Gen. Pétain and was presented to Abbott by his commanding officer in the absence of an official representative of the French government.

STATE OF SIEGE IN PROVINCE IN SPAIN.

[BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

PARIS, Dec. 26.—The residence of the chief of the Conservative party at Las Palmas, Canary Islands, was damaged by the explosion of a bomb yesterday, according to a Madrid dispatch.

It is stated that a state of siege will be declared soon in the province of Catalonia, Spain.

MADRID, Dec. 26.—A strike of the workmen in the gas, electric and water services was announced for today. At 3 o'clock this morning, however, a committee of the gas and electric workers decided to postpone their strike until such time as the committee directing the workmen's movements should deem a strike necessary.

KING OF SPAIN IS TO VISIT SOUTH AMERICA.

[BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

PARIS, Dec. 26.—King Alfonso and Queen Victoria of Spain will sail for South America next June, according to the Eclair.

SANTIAGO (Chile) Wednesday, Dec. 24.—Bolivia expects to secure the territory of Arica between Chile and Peru and the port of Antofagasta, according to an interview with Gen. Ismael Montes, former president of Bolivia and Bolivian delegate to the Peace Conference, which is printed here. He is quoted as expressing the opinion that the plan of President Leguia of Peru to secure the territory of Arica for Peru is an "idle dream."

ONE CASE OF TREASON AND THAT'S DISMISSED.

AMERICAN SOLDIER, ACCUSED OF TIPPING GERMANS, FOUND NOT GUILTY.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—Secretary of War Baker today remitted the twenty-year sentence imposed upon Private Lawrence Perlmutter of New York, the only member of the American Expeditionary Force to be convicted of treason, according to word received from Washington by Representative Isaac Siegl of New York, who interested himself in the lad's case.

Perlmutter, who served in the medical department, Ninth Infantry, Second Division, was convicted of having supplied military information of value to the Germans while a prisoner of war. He was court-martialed in Coblenz after having rejoined the American Army after the armistice, and his sentence was approved by general headquarters.

ONLY ONE WITNESS.

According to Mr. Siegl, who went over the record in the case with Provost-Marshal-General Crowder, it was not shown that the answers which Perlmutter gave the Germans were true, and only one witness, Capt. William Gordon, captured with him, testified against him, whereas two witnesses are needed before an American can be legally convicted of treason.

In taking up the case with the War Department, Mr. Siegel referred to the fact that the youth bore on one wrist three scars of wounds which had been inflicted at his own request by a Canadian officer, a fellow prisoner, to prevent the Germans from sending him to the mines. Mr. Siegel argued that had Perlmutter supplied his captors with valuable information they probably would not have wished to give him such treatment.

DIDN'T KNOW LOCATION.

Mr. Siegel said that when captured with Capt. Gordon, April 14, 1918, he had been in the sector only ten days and at his court-martial he contended he did not know the location of the various units of his regiment. Capt. Gordon, a native of Findlay, O., a resident of New York and once a student at the University of Michigan—testified that while lying on a cot he had overheard through a wall German officers question Perlmutter and the latter give the locations.

Mr. Siegel took up the case when Perlmutter returned to this country last September en route to Fort Leavenworth to begin his sentence. He said Perlmutter at his trial had denied the report current at the time of his court-martial that he was in love with a German girl.

The record in the case could not be found for four months, according to Mr. Siegel, who said that after having taken the matter up with Gen. Crowder the latter had recommended to Mr. Baker that the sentence be cut to five years. Mr. Baker, in wiping out the entire sentence, wrote a long opinion on the case, according to Mr. Siegel.

COMRADES WERE HOSTILE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—Evidences of hostility toward the defendant by his fellow prisoners, noted by Judge-Advocate-General Crowder, in reviewing the case of Private Perlmutter, were taken into consideration in ordering that the sentence be remitted, Secretary Baker said, in approving Gen. Crowder's report.

It was also noted that, according to the evidence in the case, a conversation alleged by these fellow prisoners to have taken place on the night of capture of Perlmutter and his companions, between Perlmutter and a German officer in an adjoining room, was held in English. Gen. Crowder declared to be "inherently improbable" that the man talking to the German officer was Perlmutter, since it had already been shown that he spoke excellent German.

In view of this doubt, Mr. Baker said, Gen. Crowder recommended a complete remission of the sentence, and he approved the recommendation.

RED CROSS MEN MARCH THROUGH BATTLE LINE

TRAINS PASS SAFELY BEHIND FRONT WHERE POLES AND BOLSHEVIKI FIGHT.

[BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

IRKUTSK, Thursday, Dec. 25.—Trygve R. Hansen, United States Vice-Consul at Omsk, and Joseph H. Ray, Consul at Irkutsk, have safely passed Taiga, forty-eight miles southeast of Tomsk, together with Red Cross trains.

Fighting is in progress between the Poles and Bolsheviki at Taiga.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—An engagement between Polish forces and the Bolsheviki at Taiga, the junction on the Trans-Siberian Railroad for the branch line to Tomsk, is said to have been fought December 23, according to State Department advices, but trains bearing American Red Cross supplies succeeded in getting beyond the fighting lines. American Vice-Consuls Ray and Hansen are reported safe.

DEFER PAN-AMERICAN FINANCIAL MEETING.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—Postponement of the second Pan-American financial conference for one week, from January 13 to 19, was announced today by Secretary Glass, due to the inability of delegates from Argentina, Peru and Uruguay to obtain sailing accommodations in time for the earlier date.

In making the announcement, Secretary Glass remarked that inadequate steamship service was a problem which would be given comprehensive consideration by the conference.

ENGLISH TRADE UNIONS SEE STRIKE FUTILITY.

[BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

LONDON, Dec. 26.—Seven of the largest trade unions in Great Britain have inaugurated a movement aiming at the prevention of unauthorized strikes. It is declared the movement is sponsored by the National Union of General Workers, representing an enormous membership.

CUMMINS BILL IS THREATENED.

Union Labor Railway Machinists in Ugly Mood.

Claim 125,000 will Walk Out if Bill is Adopted.

Intend to Break Law in Defiance of Government.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—Ninety-eight per cent. of the 125,000 union railway machinists voted in November to strike with other trades in the event Congress enacted the Cummins railroad bill with its anti-strike provision.

In making this announcement today William H. Johnston, president of the International Association of Machinists, said the vote was taken before the Senate Interstate Commerce Committee reported out the Cummins measure, and the result was not officially published because the association did not want to appear in the attitude of attempting to threaten Congress.

The machinists' membership is around half a million, but not more than 125,000 of this number are employed on railroads.

WAIT HOUSE ACTION.

President Johnston explained that the strike vote stipulated that union railway machinists would quit work if the Cummins bill were passed by both branches of Congress, not by one.

"When the roads were taken over by the government the employees were free," Mr. Johnston said, "and we propose that if they are turned back to private ownership the employees shall be equally free. There is no necessity for such severe legislation as is provided for in the Cummins bill. There never has been a general railroad strike, and there never will be, in my opinion."

So far as labor officials are advised, they will not be given another hearing by Senate or House committees, but they will keep up the fight against the anti-strike section, it was said, and appeal finally to President Wilson to veto the bill if it should be enacted with that clause intact.

President Johnston said that no other trades that would be affected by the anti-strike section of the bill had taken a vote, so far as he had been advised.

CONFERENCE MONDAY.

The whole question of railroad legislation will be discussed here Monday at a conference of the heads of the fourteen railway brotherhoods, called by Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor.

It was explained at Federation headquarters that the Cummins bill and other pending railroad legislation would be considered exclusively, without regard to other big questions in which railroad employees are vitally interested.

The brotherhood, it was said, probably would unite in a general protest against the Cummins anti-strike provision to be sent to every member of Congress.

BROTHERHOOD TO FIGHT.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CLEVELAND, Dec. 26.—Representatives of three big railway brotherhoods with headquarters in Cleveland will be represented Monday at two meetings of the railway union officials in Washington, one to consider pending railway legislation, the other to arrange for co-operation in obtaining wage increases.

The return of the roads to their owners in March does not lead the brotherhood chiefs to fear their demands for increased wages will be neglected, they said today.

Timothy Shea, acting president of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen, said the brotherhood representatives would insist that the roads be returned without any restrictions being placed upon employees.

The employees, Shea said, must be permitted to use their economic strength to oppose injustice just as they were permitted to before the government assumed control of the railroads. This does not mean, Shea said, that they wished to become involved in a strike, but that they must be permitted to retain their rights as citizens.

There was no meeting today of House and Senate conferees, who have been assigned the stupendous job of trying to frame a new railroad bill out of the Esch and Cummins measures. This work, however, will begin next week in hopes of final enactment of railroad legislation some time in the next two months.

The anti-strike section is known to be the main point of difference. The conferees will not consider the labor section until they have agreed on all other disputed questions.

OKUMA WOULD RENEW ANGLO-JAP ALLIANCE.

FAMOUS ORIENTAL STATESMAN WANTS IT TO SUPPLEMENT LEAGUE OF NATIONS.

[BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

TOKIO, Nov. 26.—Marquis Shigenobu Okuma, Japan's venerable statesman, is strongly in favor of a renewal of the Anglo-Japanese alliance, which expires in 1921.

Revision of the provisions should be made in consonance with the requirements of the new world conditions, he says, but with the fundamental principle of the alliance, that both England and Japan should maintain peace in the Far East and in India, and protect their mutual interests, should remain unchanged.

"With America and Great Britain as its center, the League of Nations can be made to have greater possibility than the Holy Alliance," he continues. "Consequently, if both countries act with mutual consideration, the League may be influential. Once these countries run counter to each other, however, the results cannot be predicted. We cannot see at present the absolute stability of the League of Nations.

"Russia, with its great population of nearly 200,000,000, can become a stronger power if a great leader should appear, even though the territories of Finland and Poland have been cut off. The temporary collapse of Russia is not enough to make the Anglo-Japanese alliance unnecessary.

"The League of Nations cannot secure complete abolition of armaments, and all the nations are now striving for the perfection of their national defenses."

FRESNO WANTS WATER COMPANY REVAMPED.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 26.—The Fresno City Water Company asked permission today of the State Railroad Commission to sell to the Fresno City Water Corporation its water system in that city and vicinity. Payment is to be made by issuing 3500 shares of the corporation's stock to the company.

This reorganization is made necessary, according to the application, by demands for increased facilities which exceed the company's ability to make them under the present stock and bond arrangement.

Would Stop Makine Enemies.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 26.—Illinois women will urge manufacturers to stop the production of nonessentials and luxuries, Mrs. Joseph T. Bowen, head of women's activities of the Illinois Fair Price Committee, announced today.

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82172 { L'Arlesienne—Adagietto, *Bizet;* and Serenade Espagnole, *Chaminade*—*Kreisler*, Violin — Albert Spalding
Prelude—The Deluge, *Saint-Saens*, Violin — Albert Spalding

82173 { I Did Not Know, *Vanderpool*, Baritone — Mario Laurenti
My Dreams, *Tosti*, Baritone — Mario Laurenti

82174 { From the Land of the Sky-blue Water, *Cadman;* and Dixie, *Emmett*, Soprano — Frieda Hempel
Lullaby, Erminie, *Jakobowski*, Soprano — Frieda Hempel and Chorus

82175 { Come to Me, *Denza*, Bass-Baritone — Arthur Middleton
My Heart Is With the Loving Ones at Home, *McCarthy*, Bass-Baritone — Arthur Middleton

82176 { Mon coeur s'ouvre a ta voix (My Heart at Thy Sweet Voice)—Samson et Dalila, *Saint-Saens*, Contralto in French — Eleonora de Cisneros
Vien Leonora (Leonora, Spurn Not My Love)—La Favorita, *Donizetti*, Baritone, in Italian — Taurino Parvis

80510 { In Dear Old Napoli, *Brockman*, Tenor — Walter Van Brunt
Shades of Night, *Friedland-Franklin*, Soprano and Tenor — Elizabeth Spencer and Walter Van Brunt

80511 { The Beatitudes and Hymns, — Rev. William H. Morgan, D. D., and Calvary Choir
The Lord's Prayer, Doxology, Responses and Hymn, — Rev. William H. Morgan, D. D., and Calvary Choir

50579 { Fluffy Ruffles—One-Step, *G. H. Green*, for Dancing — Green Brothers Novelty Orchestra
Tears (Dry Your)—Fox Trot, *Hickman-Black*, for Dancing — Green Brothers Novelty Orchestra

50586 { Did You Mean All You Told Me Last Night? *Fish-Pomeranus*, — Manuel Romain
That Tumble-Down Shack in Athlone, *Carlo-Sanders*, Counter-Tenor — Will Oakland and Chorus

50597 { Breakfast in My Bed on Sunday Mornin', *H. Lauder* — Glen Ellison
The Same As His Father Did Before Him, *H. Lauder* — Glen Ellison

50598 { La Danse des Sorcieres, *Losey* — Sodero's Band
Miss Trombone, *Fillmore* — New York Military Band

50599 { Uncle Josh and Aunt Nancy Put Up the Kitchen Stove, *Stewart*, a Rural Scene — Cal Stewart and Ada Jones
Uncle Josh and the Honey Bees, *Stewart*, a Rural Story — Cal Stewart

50600 { Cleo—Fox Trot, *Roberts*, for Dancing, Saxophone, Xylophone and Piano — All Star Trio
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50601 { Alexander's Band is Back in Dixieland, *Gumble*, Male Voices — Premier Quartet
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50602 { I Know What It Means to Be Lonesome, *Kendis-Brockman-Vincent*, Soprano — Margaret A. Freer
Moonlight Love, *Piantadosi-Stept*, Contralto — Helen Clark

50603 { I've Got My Captain Working for Me Now, *Berlin* — Fred Hillebrand
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CHINA PLANNING TO BUILD UP NEW NAVY.

[BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

PEKIN, Thursday, Dec. 25.—Admiral Sah-Chen-Ping, Minister of the Navy, in a speech of welcome at a banquet tendered last night at the Admiralty to Admiral Gleaves, commander of the American Asiatic fleet, described China's ambition to play its part in the maintenance of peace in the East.

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JEWS RUSHING TO PALESTINE.

Great Flood of Immigration Reaches Holy Land.

Expected British Mandate the Principal Cause.

Peace Negotiations with Turkey to Open Soon.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 25.—A great tide of emigration is sweeping into Palestine, influenced by the conviction that Great Britain will shortly accept a mandate for the Holy Land and that the dream of a national homeland for the Jews is about to be realized, according to cable advices received by the Zionist organization of America today. The cable messages say that the world conference of Zionists scheduled to be held at Basle, January 15, has been postponed, in view of "the assured possibility of immediate negotiations for the mandate over Palestine."

A London cable message, received by the Jewish Morning Journal, declared peace negotiations with Turkey would open shortly after the new year, and that the British delegates would be Premier Lloyd George, Lord Curzon and Arthur J. Balfour, all three of whom have declared publicly their sympathy with the Zionist movement.

In view of this possibility, the greater actions of the committee of the Zionist organization has been summoned to meet as soon as possible in London to cope with what is termed the acute problem of restraining wholesale immigration into Palestine.

In a message sent to Judge Julian W. Mack, president of the American Zionist body, S. Levin, Zionist executive at London, says that "the situation in South Russia and Constantinople is so strained the leaders of the organizations no longer have power to hold back the stream of emigration."

Mr. Levin reported that crowds of fugitives are swarming interruptedly into Constantinople from the surrounding countries on their way to Palestine, and are disregarding all barriers.

SILVER SERVICE FOR BATTLESHIP ARIZONA.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 25.—A Christmas gift of a copper and silver service, valued at $10,000, will be presented to Capt. John H. Dayton, commander of the battleship Arizona, tomorrow, on behalf of the State of Arizona. The presentation will be made aboard the warship, now docked in the New York navy yard, by a delegation headed by L. W. Mix, and including U. S. Senator Ashurst, Mrs. Ashurt, Lieutenant-Commander Paul M. Bates of Annapolis, and several former Arizonians now resident in New York City.

Four sailors of the Arizona were detailed today to mount guard over the gift at the Waldorf Astoria Hotel.

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BRITISH TAKE LINERS TODAY.

Wilson Ends Contest Over Seven German Ships.

Overrules Shipping Board's Plan to Hold Them.

Status of Tankers Claimed by Americans Unsettled.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 25.—The controversy between the Shipping Board and British officials over seven German liners used to bring back American troops and now held in New York Harbor ended abruptly today when President Wilson ordered the vessels turned over to Great Britain. The transfer will be made without delay and the ships assigned to passenger service.

No explanation of the order was made except that the State Department had found there was no warrant for holding the ships now that the object for which they were assigned by the inter-Allied shipping commission to American use—the return of the American army—was accomplished. The eighth ship of the group, the Imperator, has already been turned over and is being operated by the Cunard Line.

TANKERS STILL HELD.

The unexpected action of the Shipping Board last September in refusing to deliver the Imperator to the British was understood to be connected with efforts to induce the return to the Standard Oil Company of twelve tank steamers formerly under the German flag, but now held in British custody in the Firth of Forth, by order of the Supreme Council. The State Department took the position, however, that these were separate questions and must be dealt with separate, the United States carrying out its obligation to turn the German ships over to the British.

Meantime, the fate of the tankers remains in doubt. Chairman Payne of the Shipping Board recently made a proposal to the Supreme Council that, pending adjustment of titles, the tankers be put at the disposal of the United States and that Great Britain be given use of the former German liners. Great Britain agreed to this proposal, it was learned today, on the condition that the United States would furnish Great Britain, France, Italy and Belgium with oil, but, it is reported, withdrew her acceptance the day after it was transmitted. No explanation of the reported withdrawal was obtainable.

FINAL TITLES LATER.

Under the Versailles treaty, final decision as to the titles of all craft requisitioned from German harbors after the armistice, rests with the Reparations Committee.

The present dispute, both as to the passenger vessels and to the tankers, it was asserted, cannot be considered as definitely settled, the present disposition being only temporary.

In a letter to Secretary Lansing, made public today, John Barton Payne, chairman of the Shipping Board, said:

"I am directed by the President to comply with the request contained in your letter transmitted to me this day from the White House and to advise you that seven ex-German ships, to wit, Graf Waldersee, Zeppelin, Pretoria, Cap Finistere, Mobile, Prince Friedrich Wilhelm and Kaiserin Auguste Victoria, now in the Harbor of New York, will be delivered to the representative of Great Britain as soon as the proper person is designated to receive the same."

STANDARD OIL IN DARK.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 25.—At the offices of the Standard Oil Company, which claims ownership of the former German flag tankers, it was said that no word had been received as to the disposition of the ships. The tankers, twelve in number, and aggregating about 70,000 tons, were in Hamburg when the armistice was signed. It was understood here that they were to be turned over to the Standard Oil Company, but instead they were ordered to the Firth of Forth for distribution among England, France, Belgium, Italy and the United States.

Allocation of the seven ex-German ships held here since September will be made by the British Ministry of Shipping among the various British lines. The Zeppelin is to go to the White Star Line, the Prince Friedrich Wilhelm to the Orient Steam Navigation Company for the Far East service, and will be taken to England by the White Star line.

The Cunard line, which received the big liner Imperator, will take over the Kaiserin Auguste Victoria, and the same company will deliver to the Peninsular and Oriental Steam Navigation Company the steamer Mobile, formerly the Cleveland. Sanderson & Sons will take over for delivery to the Ellerman lines the steamer Pretoria.

No announcement has yet been made as to the companies that will get the Cape Finistere and the Graf Walderssee.

Crews to handle the ships allocated are now here, having been brought from Great Britain prior to the order which delayed the delivery of the ships to the British government.

The seven ships will be formally turned over to the local representative of the British Ministry of Shipping at noon tomorrow, it was announced here today. The ships now are at anchor in the harbor or tied up at piers of the army transport service, and are in charge of Shipping Board crews, placed there for their protection.

Instructions to turn the ships over came late today in a message from Washington.

The U. S. Shipping Board steamer Mocasin, the first vessel of a fleet of seven former German liners recently allocated for service to South America, will leave here at noon tomorrow.

The ship will carry between forty and fifty passengers, in addition to mail and a full cargo of exports. Ports of call have been designated as Rio de Janeiro, Santos, Montevideo and Buenos Aires. Other vessels intended for the service are in shipyards undergoing alterations.

NEW SOUTH AMERICAN LINES.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 25.—Regular steamship service to Brazilian ports is to be inaugurated by two new steamship companies, a dispatch today from Rio de Janeiro to the Department of Commerce said. They are the North and South Atlantic line of Bergen, Norway, and the Marine Navigation Company of Canada. The Norwegian line will touch at New York, Rio de Janeiro, Santos, Buenos Aires, Bahia, Rotterdam and Hamburg, making them among the first steamers since the armistice to carry freight from South America to Germany.

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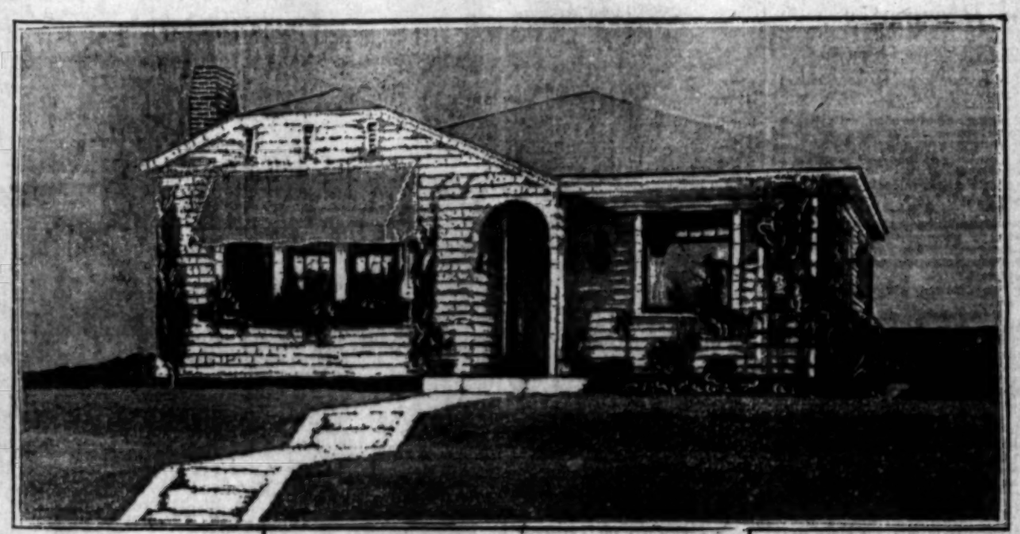

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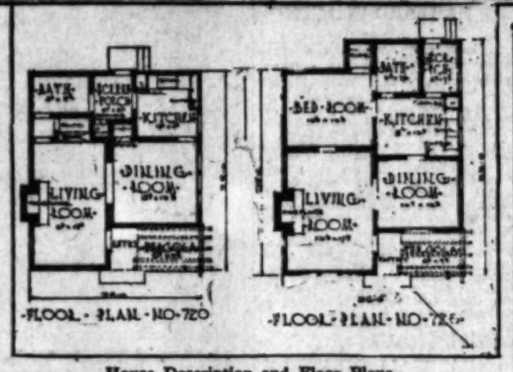

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HOME-LETTER CONTEST ON.

Many are After "The Times" Prizes for Best Answers.

Evidence is piling up of the keen interest of Times readers in this newspaper's offer of cash and other valuable prizes for the best letters on that big subject, "Why I Should Own My Own Home!" Hundreds of clearly expressed letters, indicating the great extent of the home-ownership desire, have come to the "Own Your Home Contest" editor. They are from far and near, from clerk and employer, from the man of small means and the one of wealth, and they, all of them, testify to the gripping hold that this absorbing subject has on the public mind.

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Says Japan and Mexico are Friends.

[A. P. FOREIGN CORRESPONDENCE.]

MEXICO CITY, Nov. 1.—Relations between Mexico and Japan are the most cordial now in many years, according to Perez Romero, Mexican Minister to Japan, who recently returned to Mexico City prior to assuming a diplomatic post either in Great Britain or in Belgium. Senor Romero stated that mutal efforts are being made to improve the commercial interests of the two countries, but he denied there was any sentiment in Japan for wholesale immigration to this country. There are no Japanese companies, he said, that have acquired lands in Lower California for the purposes of colonization.

Valuable Information.

"Pa, what is the proletariat you read so much about?"

"It is one of those strange wild animals that lived before the flood which are dug up every now and then by scientific explorers, my son."
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BUILDING FACTORS.

Home building is world-wide, a fact that has brought that industry into the foreground as it never was before and called on the services of labor and capital to a stupendous degree. The United States, England, France, Canada, Italy and Australia are straining to keep up with the demands of a building programme whose total expenditure involves billions. In respect to building, these countries are being "remade." The greatest factors, aside from the materials, money and labor required in completing this staggering building programme, are industry and patience, according to architects, builders, investors and all those identified with the vastly important building industry. If the world's housing needs are to be fully met it must be on a basis of unceasing work, they declare.

TO LEARN FROM AMERICA.

[A. P. FOREIGN CORRESPONDENCE.]

LONDON, Oct. 20.—England needs to produce a great deal more wealth than she did before the war and she can best learn from America how to do it, said C. A. McCurdy, parliamentary secretary to the food controller, in a recent speech dealing with England's industrial and labor troubles.

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CHINA PLANNING TO BUILD UP NEW NAVY.

[BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

PEKIN, Thursday, Dec. 26.—Admiral Sah-Chen-Ping, Minister of the Navy, in a speech of welcome at a banquet tendered last night at the Admiralty to Admiral Gleaves, commander of the American Asiatic fleet, described China's ambition to play its part in the maintenance of peace in the East.

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Great Flood of Immigration Reaches Holy Land.

Expected British Mandate the Principal Cause.

Peace Negotiations with Turkey to Open Soon.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—A great tide of emigration is sweeping into Palestine, influenced by the conviction that Great Britain will shortly accept a mandate for the Holy Land and that the dream of a national homeland for the Jews is about to be realized, according to cable advices received by the Zionist organization of America today. The cable messages say that the world conference of Zionists scheduled to be held at Basle, January 18, has been postponed, in view of "the assured possibility of immediate negotiations for the mandate over Palestine."

A London cable message, received by the Jewish Morning Journal, declared peace negotiations with Turkey would open shortly after the new year, and that the British delegates would be Premier Lloyd George, Lord Curzon and Arthur J. Balfour, all three of whom have declared publicly their sympathy with the Zionist movement.

In view of this possibility, the greater actions of the committee of the Zionist organization has been summoned to meet as soon as possible in London to cope with what is termed the acute problem of restraining wholesale immigration into Palestine.

In a message sent to Judge Julian W. Mack, president of the American Zionist body, S. Levin, Zionist executive at London, says that "the situation in South Russia and Constantinople is so strained the leaders of the organizations no longer have power to hold back the stream of emigration."

Mr. Levin reported that crowds of fugitives are swarming interruptedly into Constantinople from the surrounding countries on their way to Palestine, and are disregarding all barriers.

SILVER SERVICE FOR BATTLESHIP ARIZONA.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—A Christmas gift of a copper and silver service, valued at $10,000, will be presented to Capt. John H. Dayton, commander of the battleship Arizona, tomorrow, on behalf of the State of Arizona. The presentation will be made aboard the warship, now docked in the New York navy yard, by a delegation headed by L. W. Mix, and including U. S. Senator Ashurst, Mrs. Ashurt, Lieutenant-Commander Paul M. Bates of Annapolis, and several former Arizonians now resident in New York City.

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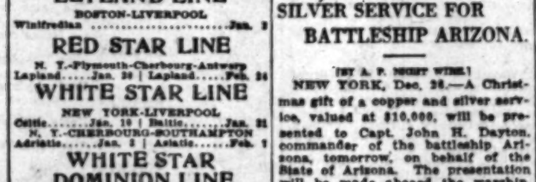

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Wilson Ends Contest Over Seven German Ships.

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Status of Tankers Claimed by Americans Unsettled.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—The controversy between the Shipping Board and British officials over seven German liners used to bring back American troops and now held in New York Harbor ended abruptly today when President Wilson ordered the vessels turned over to Great Britain. The transfer will be made without delay and the ships assigned to passenger service.

No explanation of the order was made except that the State Department had found there was no warrant for holding the ships now that the object for which they were assigned by the Inter-Allied shipping commission to American use—the return of the American army—was accomplished. The eighth ship of the group, the Imperator, has already been turned over and is being operated by the Cunard Line.

TANKERS STILL HELD.

The unexpected action of the Shipping Board last September in refusing to deliver the Imperator to the British was understood to be connected with efforts to induce the return to the Standard Oil Company of twelve tank steamers formerly under the German flag, but now held in British custody in the Firth of Forth, by order of the Supreme Council. The State Department took the position, however, that these were separate questions and must be dealt with separate, the United States carrying out its obligation to turn the German ships over to the British.

Meantime, the fate of the tankers remains in doubt. Chairman Payne of the Shipping Board recently made a proposal to the Supreme Council that, pending adjustment of titles, the tankers be put at the disposal of the United States and that Great Britain be given use of the former German liners. Great Britain agreed to this proposal, it was learned today, on the condition that the United States would furnish Great Britain, France, Italy and Belgium with oil, but, it is reported, withdrew her acceptance the day after it was transmitted. No explanation of the reported withdrawal was obtainable.

FINAL TITLES LATER.

Under the Versailles treaty, final decision as to the titles of all craft requisitioned from German harbors after the armistice, rests with the Reparations Committee.

The present dispute, both as to the passenger vessels and to the tankers, it was asserted, cannot be considered as definitely settled, the present disposition being only temporary.

In a letter to Secretary Lansing, made public today, John Barton Payne, chairman of the Shipping Board, said:

"I am directed by the President to comply with the request contained in your letter transmitted to me this day from the White House and to advise you that seven ex-German ships, to wit, Graf Waldersee, Zeppelin, Pretoria, Cap Finisterre, Mobile, Prince Friedrich Wilhelm and Kaiserin Augusta Victoria, now in the Harbor of New York, will be delivered to the representative of Great Britain as soon as the proper person is designated to receive the same."

STANDARD OIL IN DARK.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—At the offices of the Standard Oil Company, which claims ownership of the former German flag tankers, it was said that no word had been received as to the disposition of the ships. The tankers, twelve in number, and aggregating about 70,000 tons, were in Hamburg when the armistice was signed. It was understood here that they were to be turned over to the Standard Oil Company, but instead they were ordered to the Firth of Forth for distribution among England, France, Belgium, Italy and the United States.

Allocation of the seven ex-German ships held here since September will be made by the British Ministry of Shipping among the various British lines. The Zeppelin is to go to the White Star Line, the Prince Friedrich Wilhelm to the Orient Steam Navigation Company for the Far East service, and will be taken to England by the White Star line.

The Cunard line, which received the big liner Imperator, will take over the Kaiserin Augusta Victoria, and the same company will deliver to the Peninsular and Oriental Steam Navigation Company the steamer Mobile, formerly the Cleveland. Sanderson & Sons will take over for delivery to the Ellerman lines the steamer Pretoria.

No announcement has yet been made as to the companies that will get the Cape Finisterre and the Graf Waldersee.

Crews to handle the ships allocated are now here, having been brought from Great Britain prior to the order which delayed the delivery of the ships to the British government.

The seven ships will be formally turned over to the local representative of the British Ministry of Shipping at noon tomorrow, it was announced here today. The ships now are at anchor in the harbor on tied up at piers of the army transport service, and are in charge of Shipping Board crews, placed there for their protection.

Instructions to turn the ships over came late today in a message from Washington.

The U. S. Shipping Board steamer Moccasin, the first vessel of a fleet of seven former German liners recently allocated for service to South America, will leave here at noon tomorrow.

The ship will carry between forty and fifty passengers, in addition to mail and a full cargo of exports. Ports of call have been designated as Rio de Janeiro, Santos, Montevideo and Buenos Aires. Other vessels intended for the service are in shipyards undergoing alterations.

NEW SOUTH AMERICAN LINES.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—Regular steamship service to Brazilian ports is to be inaugurated by two new steamship companies, a dispatch today from Rio de Janeiro to the Department of Commerce said. They are the North and South Atlantic line of Bergen, Norway, and the Marine Navigation Company of Canada. The Norwegian line will touch at New York, Rio de Janeiro, Santos, Buenos Aires, Bahia, Rotterdam and Hamburg, making them among the first steamers since the armistice to carry freight from South America to Germany.

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This very fact enables THE LITERARY DIGEST to present to its readers, in this week's number, and well in advance of the primaries, the chief merits and demerits of the principal contestants for the Presidential nominations as seen by the men themselves, by their friends, or by the newspapers most familiar with their records.

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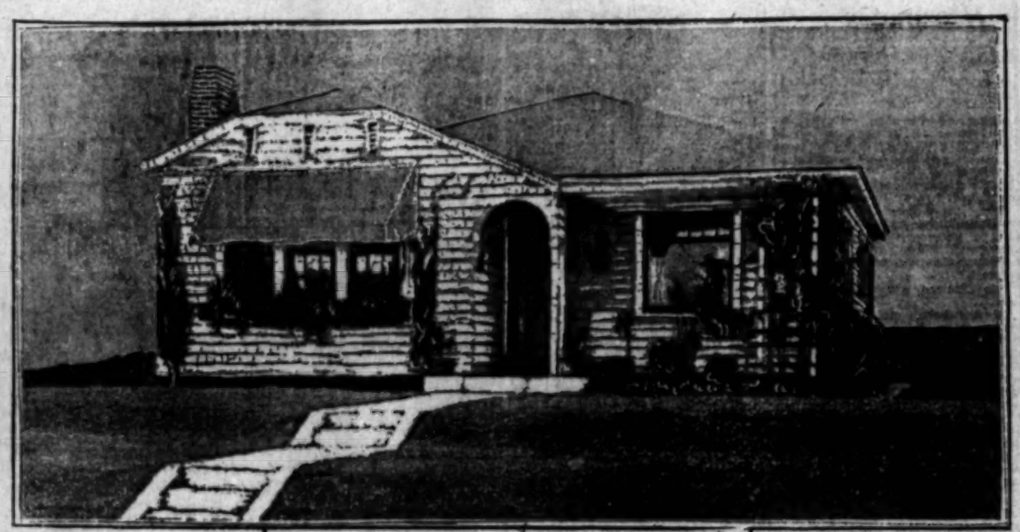

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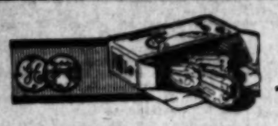

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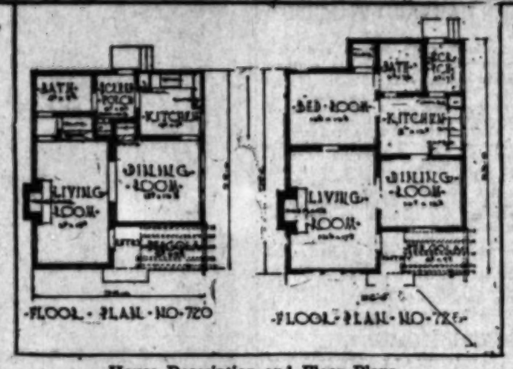

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Says Japan and Mexico are Friends.

[A. P. FOREIGN CORRESPONDENCE.]

MEXICO CITY, Nov. 1.—Relations between Mexico and Japan are the most cordial now in many years, according to Perez Romero, Mexican Minister to Japan, who recently returned to Mexico City prior to assuming a diplomatic post either in Great Britain or in Belgium. Senor Romero stated that mutal efforts are being made to improve the commercial interests of the two countries, but he denied there was any sentiment in Japan for wholesale immigration to this country. There are no Japanese companies, he said, that have acquired lands in Lower California for the purposes of colonization.

Valuable Information.

"Pa, what is the proletariat you read so much about?"

"It is one of those strange wild animals that lived before the flood which are dug up every now and then by scientific explorers, my son."—[Baltimore American.

BUILDING FACTORS.

Home building is world-wide, a fact that has brought that industry into the foreground as it never was before and called on the services of labor and capital to a stupendous degree. The United States, England, France, Canada, Italy and Australia are straining to keep up with the demands of a building programme whose total expenditure involves billions. In respect to building, these countries are being "remade." The greatest factors, aside from the materials, money and labor required in completing this staggering building programme, are industry and patience, according to architects, builders, investors and all those identified with the vastly important building industry. If the world's housing needs are to be fully met it must be on a basis of unceasing work, they declare.

TO LEARN FROM AMERICA.

[A. P. FOREIGN CORRESPONDENCE.]

LONDON, Oct. 20.—England needs to produce a great deal more wealth than she did before the war and she can best learn from America how to do it, said C. A. McCurdy, parliamentary secretary to the food controller, in a recent speech dealing with England's industrial and labor troubles.

"Machinery and motive power are the tools you gave the worker for his business," he continued. "Before the war the American worker was far better equipped in this respect than the British working man. He had fifty per cent. more motive power; steam power or electrical power to help him in his task.

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CRIMSONS GET FIRST WORKOUT.

Tremendous Strength in the Line Appears to be Harvard's Greatest Advantage; Eddie Casey Resembles Chain Lightning and Nails.

BY HARRY A. WILLIAMS.

Goliathian loomed the Harvard gladiators when they stalked on the field at Tournament Park.

It was a tense moment. For the first time in history, a member of the "big three" was treading the western turf, and to those who had never seen a big-league football team before the world seemed to rock under that tread.

SEEMED DWARFED.

Two hours later Oregon entered the same arena. Overnight those rugged boys from the Northwest appeared to have lost stature. They seemed strangely dwarfed. Metaphorically, the Crimson towered over Oregon as mountains tower over the foothills. That is, in the line. There all of Harvard's advantage, and only advantage, appears to lie.

Thoughts reverted to another line that towered over Oregon—the Oregon of 1917. Pennsylvania presented an appearance of tremendous power. In appearance it did not change, but the power waned, and by the second half the once mighty line was only a hollow, shell-like thing, gasping for the strength that would not respond.

NOT THE SAME.

But Pennsylvania did not loom over Oregon as Harvard looms. There is something extraordinarily tremendous about the Crimson forwards. Possibly the men give an appearance of hugeness which their actual weight does not justify. One, on first glance, would swear that the line from tackle to tackle averages 200 pounds, and that, without the giant guard, Clark, with his 218 pounds, who has been eliminated by an injury. Such weight is in excess of that admitted, but the line certainly gives an impression of greater poundage than shown in the published statistics. Then, beyond the tackle zone is Desmond, an end whose 200 pounds are legitimate hope and sinew. "Desperate" Desmond stands six feet one. And, despite his heft, they do say that the "desperate" one is speedier than Steele, Phinney and Ryan, the other three wing men.

SUDDENLY TAUT.

The Crimson line would suddenly become taut, as though to repell an attack, the bunched muscles swelling to greater size. And one wondered if any human power could tear that human wall asunder. Then, with an ominous, throaty murmur, that grew into a threatening growl, the line would lunge forward—the sudden springing into movement of an avalanche—a vibrant, tremendous mass, hurling itself down the field with a power that seemed irresistible. It is this which Oregon must meet. Will the Crimson crush the Lemon-Yellow line as a landslide does the growing things that stand in its path, or will the more thoroughly-trained, tough-ened athletes from the Northwest, with set cleats, resist and hammer back until the giants are reduced to their own size—until the huge thing opposite becomes a shell; until it becomes a Frankenstein in appearance only?

The answer to either of these questions probably would be the answer to the greater one.

GREATEST HOPE.

In the line seems to rest Harvard's greatest hope, and Oregon's greatest task.

There the superiority ends, at least physically. Oregon looks more formidable in the back field.

But physical appearances are sometimes deceptive. Take the great Casey. A stranger desiring to locate Mr. Casey should pick out a pale, rather frail-looking athlete. In short, he should pick out the most inconspicuous player in the squad. That's Casey. But that bird can't be judged by his plumage. He is as fast as the chain lightning, so seldom seen in these parts, and as hard as the nails of which there's threatens to be a shortage. His paleness is natural—the paleness of marble, and the paleness of marble covers a very solid interior.

DECEPTIVE.

But this is a case in which physically appearances are deceptive, and if deceptive in the back-field they may prove to be so in line.

Outside of Casey, Harvard does not seem to have any advantage over Oregon in speed, and if there is any advantage in kicking it lies with Oregon. In fact, judging the Crimson kickers by their first workout, they are outclassed in this department by the Lemon-Yellow. Both Steers and Francis Jacobberger appear capable of outputing the Norweens, Felton and Murray, while the drop-kicking of Steers and Maserad is more skillful than any which the assorted Harvard boosters were able to show yesterday.

All the Harvard back field men are good passers. Yesterday they were using a pass averaging about twenty yards, and which was very swift and fairly accurate.

TWO FULL TEAMS.

Head Coach Fisher yesterday had two full teams working. One is known as the A team and the other as the B. It is denied that there are any firsts or seconds. The A team, however, consisted of those mainly known as the regulars, and loomed considerably larger than the B. The B team shapes up physically about like the Oregon team.

There were two hours of spirited but not heavy practice yesterday, no scrimmage work being attempted. First the squad distintegrated into small groups, according to their departments, and each of these groups, whether line men, or backs or kickers or passers, were attended by one or more coaches, each coach a specialist. Later came signal practice with two teams on the turf, and an extra quarter-back ready to jump in when needed.

ALWAYS ONE.

Inside of half an hour Steele had tossed away his shoes. Then the inevitable Felton—there is always one of that species in Havard line-up—heaved his Trilbys into the discard. Others shed their shoes until most of the squad were cavorting in their stocking feet. I asked "Pooch" Donovan, the Harvard trainer, if this discarding of footwear was a silent compliment to our matchless climate, or merely to prove that have no fear of contracting "cold feet."

Mr. Donovan admitted that our climate has the world licked, and then went on the explain that the shoes which arrived with the team were designed for a muddy field and had long cleats. On a firm turf field these cleats prove painful to the feet, and rather than run the risk of bruises or blisters he permitted the athletes to undress their hoofs. The other shoes are expected today, barring unforeseen delays.

REAL GUYS.

Donovan, like all the rest of the Harvard party, talked freely, and answered all reasonable questions. Regular big leaguers. There is no pretense of secrets of immense importance to be guarded.

"For the first three or four days we will engage in two practices morning and afternoon, with the possible exception of Sunday," said Head Coach Fisher. "Beyond that I cannot map out our programme at this time."

"How about secret practices?" he was asked.

"Oh, there may be fifteen or twenty minutes each day when it will be necessary for us to work alone," said Fisher. "At other times the representatives of the press are welcome."

The Crimson will work twice today.

It has been claimed that the Oregon men did not look forward to the big task cut out for them with any more misgivings than to any other game—that they were not impressed by the size and prestige of their opponents. This may have been true day before yesterday, but it wasn't true yesterday. When Oregon came on the field it was visibly impressed. Either some of them had had a glimpse of Harvard, or a description of the easterners had been word-pictured for them.

CARE-FREE?

Huntington's men did not appear care-free as before. Certainly, there was none of the cock-sureness to be seen there the day before. It cannot be said there was any lessening of confidence. But the size of the job seemed to have been borne in upon them. One thing is certain. They won't be victims of overconfidence.

It was reported yesterday that Basil Williams, the big right tackle, will not start the game for Oregon. In his place will be "Spike" Leslie. Williams, it is said, is having some trouble with his knee.

Fisher, having two men for every position, and three quarter-backs, will not select his team until the day before the game. He has an embarrassment of high-class talent.

Hagvard is a far better team than Pennsylvania in 1917, and the Oregon of today is inferior to the Oregon of that year.

Oregon, being inferior physically, must play better and more skillful football in order to win, and be in superior condition. In fact, if Oregon has a winning card, it is condition.

PREP CHAMPIONSHIP TODAY

Long Beach and Berkeley Grid Stars to Mingle at Tournament Park.

BY PAUL LOWRY.

Footballing this afternoon will not be given over entirely to the training efforts of the massive young men from Cambridge and the husky athletes from Oregon. These gents are to be side-tracked in the interests of the Long Beach-Berkeley battle for the prep championship of California.

ANNUAL EVENT.

The game, which starts at 2:30 o'clock at Tournament Park, Pasadena, is being staged under the auspices of the Tournament of Roses officials, who hope to make it an annual event—a miniature East vs. West classic, if you please.

The Berkeley lads arrived here yesterday morning, and worked out at the Pasadena Park in the afternoon at the same time the Harvard men were going through their first paces on Southern California soil. One confused the university city boys with the Harvard players because they wore the same-colored jerseys, and intimated that the easterners must have been scared of Oregon because they brought enough men for three teams.

SHAPE UP WELL.

The northern preps shaped up well in their brief practice, but in the matter of bulk will be badly outclassed by the Long Beach crowd. Coach E. P. Hunt said his team averages around the 158-pound mark, which it used to be supposed was close to the Long Beach average. Those who have put two and two together believe that the seaside eleven will tip the scales somewhere around 176-pound average.

Hunt is not predicting a victory for his team over Long Beach, but did say yesterday that the Southern California champions will have to play better than they did against Dinuba last Saturday if they hope to tip the Berkleyans.

REAL OPPOSITION.

The northern prep mentor goes on to say that his team has been up against real opposition only once this season, and that was when they played the Stanford freshmen, the Cards winning 23 to 12.

That solitary game offers about the only means we have of comparing the work of the two elevens who will have at each other today. The California babes crushed the Stanford yearlings 47 to 0, and defeated the U.S.C. freshmen 20 to 12. The Trojan peagreens scraped out a victory of 14 to 10 over Manual Arts, which in turn licked Poly 13 to 9, a team that had been beaten by Long Beach 14 to 6.

Our roundabout deduction is that the U.S.C. "frosh" were about on a par with Long Beach, taking as a basis their northern and southern scores—making the seaside Jackrabbits from three to four touchdowns better than the Berkeley team.

The boys from the beach may not beat the northerners by three touchdowns—a great deal depends on the fight put up by Berkeley and the possibility of Long Beach entering the conflict in a state of overconfidence.

ON EITHER FOOT.

At that the shoe may fit on the other foot. Berkeley may be the one to enter the contest overconfident. They have won practically all of their games by big scores and twice trounced the University of California second varsity. The peninsula championship they won by parading through Tamalpais Union High School by the top-heavy score of 116 to 0.

That Berkeley has some scoring machine may be gleaned by perusing the season scores. We'll say that any team which can score 520 points in eleven games to its opponents 51 can go some. Against this, Long Beach stacks up 413 markers to 14 in ten contests. A form student would say that Long Beach is the better defensive eleven. Certain it is that Long Beach has proved a bear on the defending stuff all season. Not once has its goal line been crossed legitimately—once the trick was accomplished by means of a fumble and another time through a gift of the referee.

The line-up:

Berkeley.		Long Beach.
Pearce	L.E.R.	Lawson
Titus	L.T.R.	D. Miller
Stoll	L.G.R.	Morris
Siler	C.	Risch
Nicholson	R.G.L.	Willett
Marron	R.T.L.	Craig
Wood	R.E.L.	Evans
Check	Q.B.	Polley
Dyson	L.H.B.	LeGrand
Wilter	R.H.L.	Thomas
Dickson	F.B.	K. Miller

Officials—Jerry Abbott, referee; Jim Ingold, umpire; Louis Foley, field judge; Ralph Jessen, head linesman.

TO RESUME BOXING AT LITTLE ROCK.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

LITTLE ROCK (Ark.) Dec. 26.—Boxing will be resumed at Camp Pike New Year's afternoon, after a lapse of more than six months, it was announced yesterday by Lieut. H. N. Gilbert, camp athletic director.

YOUNG DENNY PUTS BATTLING KELLY AWAY

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SHREVEPORT (La.) Dec. 26.—Young Denny of New Orleans knocked out Battling Kelly of New York in the fourth round of a scheduled ten-round bout here yesterday.

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Capt. Bill Murray, quarter-back and boss of the Crimson team, just busting out into a little action. Above, Head Coach Bob Fisher (right,) who is at the helm of all practice, and Eddie Mahan (left,) one of the greatest half-backs that ever wore moleskins and who is giving the men pointers on scientific booting.

"TUFFY" CONN SEES HARVARD IN ACTION.

"Tuffy" Conn, who a few years back was a sensation in southern prep gridirons and later starred with the Oregon Aggies, was an interested spectator at the first workout of the Harvard men yesterday.

Conn returned from the East a week ago, where he played with the Massilon, O., professional football team. "Tuffy" refuses to divulge how much of a salary he pulled down, but said it was enough to stock up his ranch with seed for the season. He intends to spend the spring tilling the soil.

The flashy little half says professional fotoball is going big guns in the East, and that next winter the New York, Chicago and Cleveland ball clubs expect to put pigskin teams in the field. Conn plans to return to gridiron work at that time.

PIRRONE GIVES OUT BASEBALL SCHEDULE.

Many games have been scheduled for today and Sunday by Joe Pirrone, local booker at Spalding. The games arranged by Pirrone are: Today's games, United Wholesale Paint vs. Salt Lake, at Salt Lake; Sub Base vs. Y.M.C.A., at the Y.M.C.A. field. Sunday games, Chino vs. Patton, at Patton; San Gabriel vs. Lamanda Park, at Lamanda Park; Vermont Heights vs. San Fernando, at San Fernando; Hibernians vs. Ontario, at Ontario; Rails All-Stars vs. Anaheim, at Anaheim; Plumbers' Union vs. Rose Hill Park, at Rose Hill Park.

Catholic league games for Sunday afternoon: St. Joseph vs. Loyola, at Loyola College; St. Cecelias vs. Loretto, at Loretto Park; Hibernians and K. of C., postponed.

J. J. CROOKS WINS THE GOLF HANDICAP.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN DIEGO, Dec. 26.—J. J. Crooks won the Christmas Day handicap medal golf play, which was completed today at the Coronado Country Club, with a net score of 72. H. B. Hakes was second with 73. The fifth week-end handicap sweepstakes will be played at the Coronado Country Club Sunday.

PLAYERS TO WEAR BIG NUMBERS IN GAME.

It is planned to have both the Harvard and Oregon players wear large and easily read numbers on their sweaters during the East vs. West classic at Tournament Park New Year's Day.

In order to follow football plays it is necessary that the numbers be plainly distinguishable at quite a distance. As a result, the numerals are to be large enough so that any bug in the bleachers can keep a line on any player in the game.

BIG HANDBALL MATCH AT L.A.A.C. TODAY.

Laswell and Amestoy will tackle Ranft and Klawiter in a handball match at the Los Angeles Athletic Club today at noon. The first two gents won the recent doubles tournament at the club. The winners of this set-to will run up against Friedenberg and Murry of the Olympic Club in an interclub match to be staged next week.

The set today should be full of pep and thrills. Both of the teams are at the top of the lists and both are anxious to have the pleasure of smacking the experts from the north.

STANFORD STAR WINS CHINA TENNIS HONORS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 26.—The tennis singles championship of China has been won by Virgil Sheldon, former Stanford University star, according to word received here.

AVIATOR SMITH AT QUEENSLAND.

[BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

LONDON, Dec. 26.—Capt. Ross Smith the Australian aviator who recently completed a flight from England to Australia, winning a prize of 10,000 pounds, has landed at Charleville, Queensland, after safely negotiating the formidable Mt. Owen range, according to advices from Sydney. His machine was in a damaged condition, the advices state.

LONG CRIMSON JAUNT ENDS.

BY KAY OWE.

Coach Parmenter's overcoat and the Harvard football team arrived in Los Angeles yesterday morning on the Lark. It is a question which kicked up the biggest riot, the overcoat or the gridiron squad.

The first thing that appeared in the doorway of the Harvard special yesterday was a husky-looking individual entirely wrapped up and disguised in a large fur overcoat. A dozen wild-eyed photographers spotted this handsome collection of furs, decided that here was a man direct from the North Pole, so why worry about the Harvard football team. Before the coat had stepped off the car at least four camera shutters had clicked.

PEELED 'EM OFF.

Coach Parmenter, for he was the gent concealed in the fur trimmings, immediately peeled them off when he saw that the sun and photographers were on the job. But he couldn't escape. Several kodaks kept right on his heels trying to get an unobstructed view of the coat. He finally jumped into an automobile and sat on the fur disguise, thereby ending all argument.

This overcoat is one of the most remarkable affairs seen in this part of the country for a long time. It is made completely of fur and many wild and rare animals have undoubtedly bitten the dust during the course of its construction.

SLANT AT SUN.

Following Coach Parmenter and his overcoat out of the special came a large flock of Crimson football players, coaches, fans and eastern newspaper men. The entire gang took a slant at the sun, wondering what in the world it was doing on the job at this time of year. "Pooch" Donovan, the veteran trainer, pulled off his derby and began scratching his head. He realised what this sunshine was going to do to a bunch of athletes who had been accustomed to playing football in three or four feet of snow.

A fleet of Chalmers cars, furnishing through the courtesy of Greer-Robbins Co., took the players and coaches direct to their headquarters at the Hotel Raymond.

On the way to Pasadena Eddie Mahan, one of the greatest players that ever stepped onto a football field, tipped us off to a little dope on the trip.

HARD JAUNT.

"It's been a mighty hard jaunt," said Eddie. "Three thousand miles across the continent is no cinch for anyone and for a bunch of football players, edged up for a big game, it's a pretty rough trip. We've got a lot of work to get through with during the next days, but I think we'll be on top of the wave when the whistle blows."

Head Coach Bob Fisher didn't say a whole lot about the Harvard team, but the first thing he did at the Raymond was to order practice for the afternoon. Fisher was all for action and didn't appear to be getting thin worrying about the Crimson's chances. If the Harvard team needs any more fight, which certainly didn't seem to be the case yesterday, we'll stack with Bob Fisher to pump it into 'em before many days go by.

COOLER VARIETY.

Coach Fisher suggested that if any particular person had control of the weather out here it would be O.K. with him to order up a cooler variety for the next few days.

On the way to the hotel Eddie Mahan leaned out of the machine and yelled "Three spades" at some gent in the next car. This guy came back with "Four clubs," and Eddie immediately doubled him. It seems they had been killing a good many hours with bridge on the way across.

FAST TRIALS AT ASCOT.

They're going around fast at Ascot these days. This applies to the horses as well as the motorcycles. While the fastest things ever put on two wheels are cutting swaths through the Ascot atmosphere, the horses are digging in their "toes" and pulling some of the sensational go-fast themselves.

The turns of the horse track have been banked with some remarkable results. Workouts now have shown bang-tails doing the three-quarters around 1:13 and the five-eighths under a minute.

LIGHTNING FAST.

Horsemen who know say that the running track at Ascot is just as fast now, even if not faster, than the old Ascot at its best. It is not quite so wide, of course, as the turns are a little shorter, but with the new banking the runners have been getting around the corner in sprint time.

Telegrams continue to come to Chairman George R. Bentel, of the Ascot Speedway Association, asking if there are any more stable accommodations to be had. The fact of the matter is, Bental says, there would be at least 1000 head of runners at Ascot within two weeks if the stalls could be provided. As it is every available foot is being taken up.

There are some New Orleans stables that have shipped and still more are clamoring to come. The largest amount of runners ever gathered at the southern track are there now and the meeting is one of the most successful in the history of New Orleans racing.

AMERICAN LADS ARE VICTORIOUS

Moore and Griffiths Defeat French Opponents.

Beaten Boxers Say They Were Struck Low.

Carpentier Gives a Three-Round Exhibition.

[BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

LONDON, Dec. 26.—Two American fighters, Pal Moore, bantamweight, and Johnny Griffiths, welterweight, decisively defeated French opponents in the ring at Albert Hall tonight.

In a scheduled twenty-round bout, Moore made Eugene Criqui quit in the fourteenth round, while Griffiths scored a technical knockout over Francois Charles in the third round. Both Criqui and Charles declared that they had been hit low.

WELLS MAULED.

Ted "Kid" Lewis administered a bad beating to Matt Wells in twelve rounds, cutting his face to ribbons and breaking his nose. Wells gave up the unequal struggle in the twelfth round.

Moore severely trounced Criqui. In the fourteenth round the American sailed into the Frenchman and with a hard right hook to the stomach doubled him up. Criqui quit. He claimed that Moore had fouled him, but made no formal protest. It was also a right hook to the stomach that caused Charles to refuse to continue with Griffiths. He, likewise, claimed that the American's blow was low.

During the evening, Georges Carpentier, the European heavyweight champion, boxed a three round exhibition bout. Joe Beckett, who recently was knocked out by Carpentier, entered the ring and request another fight with the Frenchman.

BASEBALL NOTES.

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 26.—The high cost of living has hit baseball. The Southern League announces bleacher seats will be 40 cents each, while a chair in the grand stand may be obtained for 65 cents. This is an increase of 10 cents over last season.

John McGraw says he did not offer $100,000 for Roger Hornsby. Nobody outside of New York suspected he did.

The St. Louis Cardinals have asked waivers on Joe Schultz, a Chicago player, who made no errors in seventy-five games in the outfield last season. Cincinnati refused to waive, so Schultz is lucky.

Both the Yankees and the Washington club wish the services of Bobby Roth. Boston offered him to Griffith in exchange for Harry Harper and Howard Shanks, but "the old fox" refused to trade.

They are playing baseball on the ice in public parks at Cleveland. The players use skates.

Babe Ruth, home-run hitter, declares unless he is given a salary of $20,000 next season he will quit baseball and go into the movies.

DUTY ON AUTOS AND PARTS IS REDUCED.

[BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

PARIS, Dec. 26.—The duty on automobiles and automobile parts was reduced today from 70 per cent. ad valorem, to 45 per cent., and it is announced that a further reduction is possible.

The report on which the decree of reduction in duty is based states that the automobile industry of England, Belgium, Italy and France is agreed that a uniform tax of 33⅓ per cent. should be exacted between these countries, but as the American tariff is 45 per cent., the French tariff is reduced to the same figure with the understanding that a further reduction to 33⅓ per cent. is possible if the United States adheres to the agreement.

DR. WILLIAMS NOT TO BE YALE COACH.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW HAVEN (Ct.) Dec. 26.—Published reports that Dr. H. L. Williams, football coach at the University of Minnesota, had been offered the post of head coach of football at Yale, were authoritatively denied tonight. Dr. Williams has been in New Haven for several days, visiting his son, H. L. Williams, Jr., a student at Yale.

MENOHER RECOMMENDS TROPHIES FOR VICTORS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—Withdrawal of cash prizes awarded winners in the transcontinental air race and the substitution of suitable trophies is requested by Gen. Menoher, director of air service, in a letter to the president of the American Flying Club. The request was made, he said, in the best interests of the service.

SHAMROCK IV IS TO BE REMODELED.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec 26.—Drastic changes, virtually amounting to remodeling, will be made on Shamrock IV, Sir Thomas Lipton's challenger for the America's cup, according to reports current in well-informed yachting circles here today. The most important change, it is said, will be to shorten the challenger's keel by about five feet for the purpose of increasing speed in windward work.

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Organizations affiliated with the Aero Club of America have been asked to express their preference on this point. Augustus Post, secretary of the club, who recently returned from a conference of the international body in Europe, reported that fourteen countries in Europe, Asia and South America will enter the best airmen in the various nations.

The international races next year will be held in this country, the date and place for the start of the three pilots to be selected from an eligible list of 25, will be announced by the Aero Club during The United States has won four of the eight races held since 1909.

A $5000 prize is offered by [illegible] to the winner of the international seaplane contest, to be held in this country. The Royal Aero Club of England won the first contest in 1913. The second race was held the year in England.

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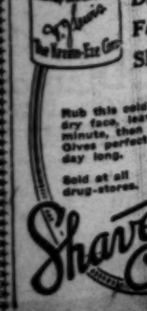

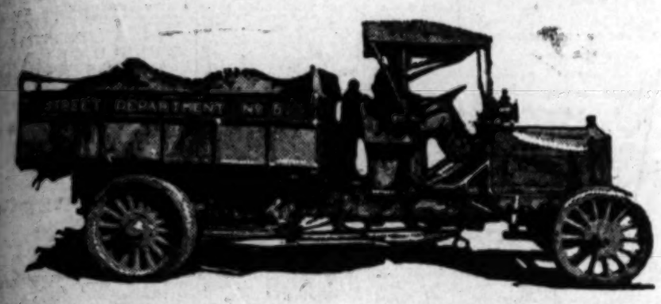

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ALLIES IN FINAL PEACE SESSION.

Conference Next Week with Germans to End War.

Peace Treaty to be Signed with America Out.

Document to be in Force Forthwith on Signing.

[BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

PARIS, Dec. 26.—Conferences will begin here early next week between Allied and German delegates on measures preparatory to putting the peace treaty into effect, it was announced today.

The sessions will be held under the presidency of Gen. Lerond, a member of the French delegation. Von Stimson will head the German delegation. British and Italian delegates will arrive here Monday to have part in the deliberations.

Von Stimson has been here since Sunday, but has been unable to arrange during this time for a conference between the Germans and the Allied representatives. This morning, however, Baron von Lersner, head of the German mission stationed in Paris, called on Paul Dutasta, general secretary of the Peace Conference, and was informed that conferences had been arranged for, probably beginning Monday.

UNITED STATES LEFT OUT.

[BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

BERLIN, Dec. 26 (via Basel.)—The Allied reply to the latest German note regarding the peace treaty protocol was published here today.

The first paragraph of the reply expresses satisfaction that the German government shares the point of view of the Allies that the dispositions of the treaty of peace are applicable from the moment of the treaty's entry into force, whether ratification by the United States has or has not occurred.

The Allies take note that Germany admits in principle that no contracting party can refer to the nonratification of the United States in the first deposit of ratification documents as a ground for questioning any stipulation of the treaty.

The third paragraph expressed the determination of the Allies to insist upon demanding the signing of the protocol with the provision regarding compensation for the sinking of the German warships in Scapa Flow unchanged.

The fourth paragraph deals with the willingness of the Allies to reduce the tonnage demanded, if it is proved that the demand vitally endangers Germany.

TURKISH PEACE NEAR.

[BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

PARIS, Dec. 26.—The Turkish Grand Vizier has requested Tewfik Pasha, head of the commission appointed to prepare a defense of Turkey's interests before the Peace Conference, to hasten the work of the commission because the Turkish delegates may be summoned to Paris next week, according to advices from Constantinople. The high commissioners in Constantinople of the Allies are reported to have hinted that peace with Turkey may be concluded in the near future.

Premier Venizelos of Greece arrived in Paris today.

LES CANADIENS TEAM BEING REORGANIZED.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SEATTLE, Dec. 26.—Les Canadiens, a Montreal hockey team, which won the Eastern Canadian professional pennant last year and came West to battle Seattle's western championship team for the world title, is being organized this season with all the old players in their positions, according to word received here.

"Newsy" Lalonde, who is rated as the of the best hockey players in Canada, will again appear as captain and manager of the "Flying Frenchmen," as the Montreal players have been called. George Kennedy still owns the club.

Lasts pring Montreal and Seattle fought four games to a tie here.

Boost Lincoln Car Fare.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

LINCOLN (Neb.) Dec. 26.—The Nebraska Railway Commission today announced it would grant the Lincoln Traction Company permission to increase single fares from 6 to 7 cents, or four tickets for 25 cents, January 5. The order will be a temporary one, in force pending final settlement of the company's application for higher rates. Several months ago the company obtained permission from Federal District Court to increase fares from 5 to 6 cents.

"SWAT THE COLD" A HEALTH SLOGAN

Health Authorities Are Back of Campaign Which Covers Entire Continent.

The familiar "Swat the Fly" slogan is now being revised by health authorities and the public is being advised to "Swat the Cold" in winter as heartily as they "swatted" the fly in summer.

Behind the movement is the desire to check the possible spread of 'flu by the prompt treatment of every case of cold. The symptoms of the 'flu in its early stages are the same as those of a bad cold, and last year the 'flu reached an advanced stage in many cases before the patient realized that the trouble was more serious than a cold.

"If every person would get busy as soon as a cold develops and use home remedies to break it up, we wouldn't hear so much about the 'flu," says one Eastern official. "It would do wonders and that quickly!"

Colds in the head or the 'flu in its early stages are promptly and effectively treated at home by the use of Grip Fix. This is not a patent medicine, but a combination of drugs such as would be used by any physician. It comes in capsule form and relieves a cold in the night and acts promptly in case of Grippe.

At this time of the year every home should have a box of Grip Fix. It is on sale at all drug stores, where it sells for 25 cents per box.—[Advertisement.

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WORLD'S NEWS IN PARAGRAPHS.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

"Tiger" for President.

PARIS, Dec. 26.—A number of members of the Chamber of Deputies intend shortly to endeavor to induce Premier Clemenceau to become a candidate for the Presidency.

China Ships Eggs.

PORTLAND, Dec. 26.—Chinese eggs have arrived in Portland to compete with the Oregon product. Between 400 and 500 cases of thirty dozen each came in today and were placed on sale at once. The price asked was considerably under that charged for fresh eggs.

Papal Appointment.

ROME, Dec. 26.—Pope Benedict has appointed Mgr. Wertmann, secretary of the German Federation of Associations for Charity, a member of the committee being formed in Geneva to care for distribution of relief to poor children, victims of the war in Central Europe and other countries.

Huge Whisky Bond.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 26.—A bond of $12,500,000 will be required of the exporters of 30,000 barrels of whisky, bound here from Louisville, Ky., before their cargoes can be shipped, according to customhouse officials. The bond will be demanded, it was said, to prevent return of the liquor to the United States in any form. The cargo will be shipped to France on the steamship Western Comet.

Investigating Typhus.

BOZEMAN (Mont.) Dec. 26.—Dr. R. R. Parker, assistant to the State Entomologist, left tonight for Poland, where, as a member of a special Red Cross Commission, he will investigate the spread of typhus. With Dr. Parker in this work will be Dr. S. B. Welbach, of Harvard Medical School, and Dr. J. L. Todd of McGill University at Montreal. They will work under the auspices of the International Red Cross.

American Artist to Rome.

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—Herman Atkins MacNeil, artist and sculptor, will sail for Italy tomorrow to take up his duties as resident professor at the American Academy at Rome, it was announced here tonight. Prof. MacNeil designed the McKinley memorial at Columbus, O. He was a student in the American Academy twenty-four years ago.

Ice Leaves Columbia.

PORTLAND, Dec. 26.—Unrestricted navigation of the Columbia River above Vancouver was possible today for the first time since the river was closed about two weeks ago by ice. River steamers hastened to take advantage of the open water. Though the ice in the Columbia loosened sufficiently several days ago to make navigation safe for vessels of all types, the solid layer across the river at Vancouver held on until Christmas Day.

Nebraska Honors Pershing.

LINCOLN (Neb.) Dec. 26.—An "All-Nebraska" reception to Gen. John J. Pershing was held tonight at the State Capitol, attended by many visitors from all over the State. Earlier in the day Gen. Pershing was the honor guest at a luncheon tendered by a merchants' club. There were no speeches tonight and the reception was marked by informality.

Suicide at Santa Cruz.

SANTA CRUZ, Dec. 26.—The body of Fred L. Marsh, 70 years old, was found hanging from a trestle over the San Lorenzo River late last night. Liberty Bonds to the amount of $2000, $67 in cash and a bank book showing $2000 on deposit, were found on the body. Marsh had been in ill health.

New Cable Line.

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—Uruguay was linked to the United States today through the all-American cables by the opening of a new line from Buenos Aires to Montevideo, putting New York and Montevideo in direct telegraphic communication with each other for the first time.

To Repair Mt. Vernon.

VALLEJO, Dec. 26.—The giant army transport Mt. Vernon, formerly the German passenger liner Crown Princess Cecilie, arrived at Mare Island navy yard today for $40,000 worth of repairs. Although the boat draws thirty-two feet of water she entered the yards without mishap.

Grain Crop to Move.

CHICAGO, Dec. 26.—A. H. Aishton, regional director of the Northwestern railroads, announced orders today to make every possible effort to move the grain crop bailted by the coal strike and other causes. He ordered that railroad shops give preference to repair of grain cars.

Canadian "Ace" Dead.

TORONTO, Dec. 26.—Maj. A. E. McKeever, M. C., D. S. O., one of the best-known Canadian aces in the great war and credited with the destruction of forty-five German machines, died in the General Hospital today as the result of an operation. He was 25 years of age.

Flour to Vienna.

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—The Wheat Export Company, purchasing agent for the Allies, has bought $1,000,000 worth of flour from the U. S. Grain Corporation for the relief of Vienna, it was announced today.

Sets Boundary Line.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—Supplementing the Illinois classification case, the Interstate Commerce Commission today made public orders acquiescing in the suggestion of carriers that the Illinois River be made part of the boundary line of Southeastern Illinois territory. The commission also ordered that the central territory rate scale shall apply to or from points on the dividing line from or to points in Southeastern Illinois territory. The supplementary decision was said by rate experts to be of large importance to business interests in the territory involved.

Paris Dark Idd On.

PARIS, Dec. 26.—The rule forcing restaurants and entertainments to close at 11:30 p.m., which was lifted for Christmas, will be enforced on New Year's Eve. The police explain that the shortage of coal, the waste of electricity and the danger of quarrels necessitates enforcement of the rule.

Appoints Adjutant-General.

OLYMPIA, Dec. 26.—Gov. Hart today appointed Maurice Thompson acting Adjutant-General, to succeed Brig.-Gen. Harvey J. Moss, whose resignation was requested by the Governor early this week.

HUNGARIAN SOCIALISTS ASK AID FROM KILLING.

CLAIM THAT HUNDREDS ARE BEING EXECUTED BY GOVERNMENT TROOPS.

[BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

BERLIN, Tuesday, Dec. 23.—Appeals to world workers, especially Socialists in the United States, England, France and Italy, asking that those governments take steps to stop the alleged "slaughter" of communists and Socialists in Hungary, are being sent out by the central government board of the Austrian social democracy.

It is asserted that whereas 500 victims were charged to the Bela Kun regime in Hungary, more than ten times that number have been executed on conviction through military court-martials "on flimsy warrants" issued with alleged connivance of Admiral Horthy, in command of the Hungarian government troops at present.

Entente governments are jointly responsible for present occurrences, the appeal declares. They deligently sought to protect bourgeoisie from the "red terror," it is said, but they are "not making any effort to halt the counter-revolutionary rampage."

The Vorwaerts is informed that an Entente commission recently found the bodies of sixty-two communists hanging from trees in a patch of woods near Budapest.

MILITARY CHIEFS TO CONFER ON NEW ARMY.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—A conference of all departmental and divisional commanders January 12 was called today by Secretary Baker. The purpose, it was announced, is a discussion of army problems as viewed from a peace status. War Department plans and policies for the training, distribution and administration of personnel and other important reorganization plans will be taken up.

WHITMAN COLLEGE TO EXTEND TEAM'S TRIP.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WALLA WALLA (Wash.) Dec. 26. — Whitman College of Walla Walla has decided to broaden its athletic policy and to allow its teams to take long trips in the future. The basketball teams will be allowed to remain away for two weeks if necessary and the basketball teams may be gone six days. In the past the teams were limited to fewer days away. This extension, it is believed, will enable Whitman teams to meet many of the Coast college teams.

MOREING EXPECTS TO STRENGTHEN SENATORS

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 26.—Louis Moreing of Stockton, Cal., the new owner of the Sacramento club of the Pacific Coast Baseball League expects to put an unusually strong team in the field next spring.

Moreing is a wealthy rancher, who figured prominently in the old California State League. One of the first steps by Moreing will be the construction of an addition to the grand stand in the local ball park.

JEWISH CHAUTAUQUA OPENS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

BALTIMORE, Dec. 26. — The twenty-eighth annual assembly of the Jewish Chautauqua Society opened tonight with religious service at Eutaw Place Temple. Rabbi Louis L. Mann of New Haven, Ct., preached the sermon. Among the 138 delegates from all parts of the United States are religious school teachers, club leaders, rabbis, social workers and representatives of every phase of religious and social activity among the Jews. Though religious education is the chief concern of the society, Americanization will have a big part in the programme.

FOR A POLICE BOAT.

Bids for furnishing a police patrol boat for the harbor will be asked for at once, the City Council decided yesterday, and the offers will be opened by the Council on the last day of this month.

Up-to-Date Economy.

Charity Collector: Have you any particular use for your old clothes?

Surly Citizen: Sure. I'm wearing them.—[Baltimore American.

WEIGH JACK'S CHANCES.

[BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

LONDON, Dec. 26.—The chances of Jack Dempsey, world's heavyweight champion, to win in his proposed fight with Georges Carpentier, the famous Frenchman, will depend more upon Dempsey's "reaction time" than upon any superiority he may possess in weight and muscular power, according to a medical writer in the Evening News. In explaining what he means by "reaction time," the author says:

"Briefly, the 'reaction time' of a muscle or set of muscles is the measurable period which elapses between the impulse to act and its transformation into action.

GREAT DIFFERENCE.

"The differences in 'reaction time' are very great. A man with a big 'reaction time' cannot hope by practice to become the equal in this respect of another born with a small reaction time. Interwoven with this is psychological 'reaction time,' or quick and slow-wittedness.

"If he is symmetrically formed, has the average amount of courage, a sound heart and lungs, and has mastered the art of boxing, a heavyweight of twelve stone (168 pounds,) with a small physical and psychological 'reaction time' has sufficient muscular power to deal with a man with fairly big 'reaction time,' whatever the latter's size and reach may be. There is not a shadow of doubt that Carpentier possesses an abnormally small 'reaction time' physically and mentally."

BARLEYCORN IN HURRIED FLIGHT

Besieged on All Fronts, Driven to Evacuate.

Five Thousand Barrels Retreat from Pittsburgh.

"Hip-Pocket" Joy in San Francisco is the Vogue.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 26.—Five thousand barrels of whisky are being loaded tonight in the hope that it might reach the seaboard in time to be shipped abroad before nationwide prohibition becomes effective January 16. Distillers said they had little hope of getting more than one-tenth of it away.

BOSTON, Dec. 26.—Two hundred barrels of New England rum were included in the cargo of the American steamer Lake Ellsbury, which left here today for Smyrna and Constantinople. The Lake Ellsbury's departure inaugurated a new service between this port and Rumanian and Black Sea ports.

BARLEYCORN'S REVENGE.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—Prohibition may prove the dominant factor in deciding the question of what policy the Shipping Board is to adopt with regard to operating passenger lines. Officials discussing tentative plans to sell to private owners 103 former German vessels, taken over by the United States in 1917, said that the board's recent decision to prohibit the sale of intoxicating liquors on Shipping Board vessels would make competition with privately-owned American vessels and foreign lines practically impossible from a business viewpoint.

An aggregate of approximately 250,000 dead-weight tons would be sold if plans now under consideration materialize. South American service would be guaranteed and purchasers would be required to keep the former German ships under the American flag.

SAN FRANCISCO "HIPPED."

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 26.—San Francisco is going to "shoot from the hip" on New Year's eve.

Dealers reported today the sale of more than 5000 flasks during the holiday season, to date. The only inference, one dealer said, is that convivial San Franciscans are not going to weigh themselves down with heavy bottles from the home stock on the last night of the year, but are going to "wear" the flasks, most of which are finished in the silver scroll design.

"About a pint" was the way most orders for the flasks were qualified.

WHAT DUMP PILE CONTAINS.

The average American city sends to the dump thirteen tons of usable material for every 1000 inhabitants.

Waste material sent to city dump piles is worth $3 a ton. Thus, for every thousand of city population there is an average of $36 each year in junk alone.

Of this waste 40 per cent. is old paper. Eight trees of mature growth are required to make a ton of pulp. A ton of waste paper will save these trees. Two million tons of boxwood were manufactured in the United States from old paper last year. Sixteen million trees would have been sacrificed to make this material providing old paper had not been consumed.

Each ton of usable waste carried to the dump contains 0.007 per cent. of rags. Eight per cent. of the value of a ton is made up of this material. Dump rags can be used in making roofing felt. To destroy them is to increase building costs. Clean rags are more valuable as they can be utilized in making paper, wiping rags and other items.

Two per cent. of the city waste is composed of tin cans. Based upon the approximation of the present population of our urban centers, about 15,000 tons of tin cans are discarded as industrially unfit.—[Thrift Magazine.

OH, SHADES OF FRANKLIN!

In the upper left-hand corner of the dining-car menu on one of the leading trains operated between New York and Chicago by the U. S. Railroad Administration is a picture of Benjamin Franklin. Above the picture is the legend "Thrift is Power" and immediately below it are the words, "Save and Succeed." From the menu we quote a few prices:

Ham and two fried eggs, 95 cents; fried oyster, chili sauce, 75 cents; sliced peaches with cream, 35 cents; two corn muffins, 15 cents; sliced orange, 25 cents; prunes with cream, 40 cents; rice, pudding, 25 cents; coffee, demi-tasse, 15 cents; glass buttermilk, 15 cents; bacon, reduced portion, with one egg, 55 cents; two boiled eggs, 20 cents; French fried potatoes, 30 cents; sirloin steak for two, $3; plain boiled potatoes, 20 cents; two poached eggs on toast, 40 cents.

Why was the picture of Benjamin Franklin, with the pretty little thrift-mottoes, printed on this menu?—[Thrift Magazine.

AY, THERE'S THE RUB!

"Well, here goes my last slice of bacon," said Bill, as he adjusted the treasure on the point of his bayonet and made plans to broil it over a can of condensed heat.

"What's the matter, Bill? You surely ain't hungry, are you?" someone jestingly inquired.

"Oh, no! No, I ain't hungry," replied Bill, "but I thought this sliver of bacon might grease up those two blisters where the fore and aft of my belly have been rubbing together."—[Watch on the Rhine.

NEW ELECTRIC LIGHT.

An electrical lamp has been developed in Europe which virtually consists of a metallic arc inside of a sealed bulb containing attenuated helium and neon gases. The wire anode terminates so closely to the edge of the hemispherical iron cathode that the current is discharged across the gap spontaneously. The rays have an orange hue and are only slightly actinic, making the lamp useful in photographic dark rooms. It is also recommended for use in mines and other places where inflammable gases may be present, because breaking of the bulb instantly extinguishes the light.—[Exchange.

Reconstruction Work.

"What are the principal features in this military hospital?"

"The ones the doctors put on the patients."—[Baltimore American.

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8 p.m. is the closing hour for the receipt of classified advertisements for both Daily and Sunday Times.

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ONE-TIME NOTICES—
Of Special Interest.

DOCTOR FOR SICK — SPECIALTY 30 YEARS. New methods. Permanent results. Reduced fees. 219 Douglas Bldg. 3d and Spring.

LOST, FOUND, STRAYED—And Stolen.

STRAYED OR STOLEN—NIGHT DEC. 23, 1919, from Budlong and Cornish ave., Vermont Heights, one bay horse, one gravel mare, both branded on left side of mouth with C. Any information please notify Mallard & Co., 745 Lyon st. Los Angeles Phone 24184.

LOST—$50 REWARD, NO QUESTIONS ASKED, for return of short nickelette vest, taken from blue Cadillac last Friday about 7:00 p.m. on Broadway, between Seventh and Eighth. Cross. Return to manager to CHAPPELL 613 W. Seventh.

ATTENTION! REV. JOHN A. NELSON, WELL-known evangelist of the Christian and Missionary Alliance, accepts invitations to preach and fill vacancies in churches, missions, etc. Immediately. 1027 ARARY ST.

LOST—BETWEEN SANTA MONICA CANYON AND Redondo, check book containing two unpaid Santa Fe railroad tickets. Los Angeles to Chicago, issued to Mrs. Ida Hall. Liberal reward. Call at 924-B 20 St. HOBART or phone 62139.

LOST — WEDNESDAY, BUNCH OF KEYS ON chain, one bunch on sixth ave., one bunch on Pico. Finder please call 1000 W. Pico. Reward.

LOST—$50 REWARD FOR RETURN OF BLACK leather bill book containing two passes over A.D.Y. westbound cars. Return to 1000 W. 23d st. Reward. Call 1000 W. 23d st.

LOST—IN GRAUMAN'S THEATER, THURSDAY afternoon, black and white checked fur scarf. Finder please return to GORDON ARMY APTS. 2400 W. 9th st. Reward.

LOST—BETWEEN GUARANTY TRUST BLDG. AND Godfrey's Cafeteria, Monday noon, four pieces of gold jewelry, consisting of pin, ring and chain. Please return and get reward. 217 SO. MAIN. PORA.

LOST—WILL THE PARTY WHO PARKED RED Cadillac and took out coat of machine on 6th st. between Olive and Flower, please return same. Call 71896. Also a Hand Bag.

LOST — LADIES' POLMAN GRAY PEARL MUFF, ribbon on Christmas morning on road between Santa Barbara or Weldon's cafe. Reward. 1000 WRIGHT ST.

LOST—ON VENICE SHORT LINE WEDNESDAY afternoon, ladies' black leather bag containing clothing and Christmas presents. Liberal reward. Phone SANTA MONICA 850-W of Realty Board.

LOST—MINK NECKPIECE AT COLLEGE THEATER, Saturday night. Will finder please return same, kindly return to MR. FISHER, 2nd floor Bldg., 3rd and Hill, and receive reward?

LOST—LADIES' PURSE CONTAINING $10 BILL and keys between Grand ave. and Bonnie View ave., between Blvd. st. and Sunset, or on car line. Finder please call or phone 77321. Reward.

LOST—RIGHT-HAND GAUNTLET GLOVE BETWEEN 60th st. and Moneta, Vermont, Figueroa and Santa Barbara, Dec. 26. Return to 1000 W. 49th ST. for reward. 50178.

LOST—TUESDAY MORNING ON W. 23RD ST., 1 horse tag, car line, silver pencil, monogram, M. M., valuable to owner for sentimental reasons. Return 1451 W. 23RD ST. Reward.

LOST—SMALL BLACK WALLET, CONTAINING $180 in bills, also check book from merchant around Fourth and Broadway. Liberal reward. Ver. 3566, 4000 PECKER AVE.

LOST—BLACK AND BLUE SILK HANDBAG, ring handle, with $5 in gold piece. Finder please keep money and return bag to 2600 NORMANDIE AVE., or phone 72724.

LOST—AT PREPARING OR VENICE BOULEVARD car, lady's purse containing money and keys. Return to 1000 W. 23d st. Reward. Phone 72724.

LOST—RACCOON FUR, MELON COLOR, NIGHT CHRISTMAS DAY, BETWEEN REDONDO AND LOS ANGELES. REWARD. NOTIFY OR RETURN TO REDONDO DRUG CO., REDONDO BEACH.

LOST—BOY'S TAN LEATHER CAP, CHRISTMAS gift, and presumably in front of Polytechnic High School. 72374. 3044 WEST 37TH ST. $1.00 Reward.

LOST—BRACES FOR NECKPIECE ABOUT 8:30 on Friday between 9th and 10th cars. Finder please call Main 8000, Ext. 1. Reward if returned. Ruby Wells of FITLEWELL.

LOST—XMAS MORNING, LYNX FUR CLIPS, between Ardmore and Adams St. Finder please call 20166. Reward.

LOST—ORANGE PERSIAN ANGORA CAT, FEMALE, vicinity Pasadena. Return 2000 W. 37TH ST. Reward.

LOST — ON WASHINGTON CAR, THURSDAY, good black leather handbag containing Liberty Bond. Reward. 3291 E. 28TH ST., or 70171.

LOST—BLACK LEATHER CANTEEN PURSE, CONtaining cash and check book on Commercial, Third & Beverly. Reward. 1404½ S. WESTERN. Ex. 1178.

LOST—CHRISTMAS DAY BETWEEN 12 AND 1, gentleman's diamond cluster ring. Finder please call Ex. 3000, Ext. 1, Mr. Hall. Reward.

LOST—A WALLET WITH ROAD-BOAT TICKETS and cards inclosed. Liberal reward. Inquire of ANGELUS HOTEL.

LOST—FOX FUR NECKPIECE IN FRONT OF 311 S. Manhattan place, Monday night. Reward. Call WEST 4000.

LOST—A RING CONTAINING 6 KEYS, A LOCKet key with the No. 23 on it. Finder please call W. 27TH ST.

LOST—FEMALE BRINDLE BULL PUP, BETWEEN Santa Monica and Beverly Hills. Reward. E. BRIGHAM, Box 117, R. F. D., 15 L. A.

LOST—AN ALLIGATOR SKIN HANDBAG ON W. 8th st. car, Dec. 18. Reward. Write W. H. STEPHENS, Montebello, Cal.

FOUND—COLLIE, WHITE AND SABLE, FEMALE dog, owner same by proving ownership and paying for keep. PICO 776.

LOST — EASTMAN KODAK WEEK MONTH 24 Huntington Park. Finder return and get reward. SOUTH 3013-R.

FOUND—DIAMOND PIN WITH CHAIN ATTACHED. Write full description and address to Box 236 TIMES OFFICE.

FOUND—BILL BOOK. CAN HAVE SAME BY calling at 2017 W. SEVENTH ST. and paying for ad.

LOST—BLACK VELVET BAG WITH GOLD MESH, gray & Z. Lost Wednesday night. Liberal reward. 10-625.

LOST—AIREDALE BITCH, WORE COLLAR BUT without name tag. Return to 4358 PARADISE AVE. or phone Gervasan 1842. Reward.

FOUND—ON CHRISTMAS DAY ON MAPLE ROCK Avenue, near Colorado, small box containing some cash. Phone GARY 727.

LOST—WHITE GOLD BAR PIN WITH REGISTA, Santa Monica, monogrammed with Pearl. 40% MERMAID Pin. Liberal Reward.

LOST—DARK BROWN OVERCOAT IN STREET car, Dec. 26.—Liberal reward. Ph. 13955, 227 E. 19TH. S. Hernandez.

LOST—DEC. 25TH EASTMAN POCKET KODAK between 10th and Hoover and Burlington and Pico. Reward. PHONE 72307.

LOST—XMAS AFTERNOON, BLACK AND WHITE Airedale, 18 mos. old. Ans. name Larry. SOUTH 4016.

LOST—AUTOMOBILE LICENSE NO. 950691, Hollywood Blvd. near Vine st. Will finder kindly return to 4330 RUSSELL AVE. Reward.

LOST—PAIR OF No4a GLASSES, WITH CASE attached. Finder communicate with J. W. BLICK, 4200 S. Harvard Blvd.

LOST—SMALL SILVER ROSARY, CHRISTMAS Day. Finder please phone HAST 396.

LOST—BUNCH KEYS NEAR SIXTH AND PICO cars. Call 18111. Reward.

LOST—GOLD BRACELET ENGRAVED LUCY G. Vanderhoof. Phone 54046. Reward.

LOST—COLLEGE PIN WITH LETTERS K.V.C. Call 10080, Apt. 107.

LOST—ORIENTAL GUN GLASSES, GOLD FRAME, of odd size and shape. 1428 OAK, Pas. Reward.

FOUND—HORSE. THE OWNER CAN HAVE SAME by calling at 3040 S. FIGUEROA.

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LOST, FOUND, STRAYED—And Stolen.

LOST—DIAMOND PLATINUM BAR PIN, DEC. 20, at Agnes Church or vicinity. Reward. WEST 6[illegible].

WANTED — RED MALE PERSIAN CAT, FROM 1148 FOURTH AVE. Phone 71162.

LOST—ON SEVENTH ST., A COVERED BLACK bracelet watch. Reward. Return to 1004 W. EIGHTH. WI. 908.

LOST—ON VIOLET, AN IRISH SETTER, SHORT haired, hald, and fat. Liberal reward. 6[illegible].

LOST—SMALL GOLD PIN WITH WORD BABY in it. Reward. WEst. 9388.

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FOR SALE—SPLENDID 6-ROOM MODERN BUN-galow with hardwood floor and built-in effects, garage, chicken yard and fruit trees. On West 53rd st., near corner. Owner will build to suit plan if in excellent condition and ready to occupy immediately. Price this week $4000. Reasonable terms. PHONE 51122.
FOR SALE—I MUST SELL MY NORTH WIL-shire home at once and if you want a real place, come to see me. Seven large rooms living and dining rooms in Peruvian mahogany, sun parlor, sun terrace, garden. Two rice is about 200 feet, and a beautiful view, of whose owner MR. ALBRIGHT, Main 5007.
FOR SALE—WE WILL BUILD FOUR-ROOM partly modern bungalow for $500, locked and plans for low priced homes at our tract office, The East San Gabriel car to end of line, SOUTHLAND HOME CO., 701 Auditorium bldg. Broadway and Spring. Telephone 13527.
FOR SALE—PRICE $6500; 9 ROOMS, BATH AND garage, lot 60x132; within a block of Hoover and Adams cars and the highest class residence section, of Los Angeles; immediate possession given. G. C. HORTON, 222 American Bank Bldg. Telephone 15982.
FOR SALE—HEART OF NORTH WILSHIRE, ... excellent 5-room bungalow, large living and dining-room, two fine bedrooms. Good buy at $4250. Terms.
GRANT McCARTNEY COMPANY,
920 Merchants' National Bank Bldg. Pico 502.
FOR SALE—
By attractive 7-room bungalow on 66 Andrews ave., between Colorado st. and Walnut; fine floors throughout; hardwood finish; fireplace; built-in bookcases; good lot and very desirable neighborhood; $5000; terms. Owner will sell; leaving town and must sell at once; owner, box 183, Venice. See materials throughout. Call 20740.
FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—WITH FRUIT ... ranch, A corner property at 21st st. and Hoover ave., 2 flats of 5 rooms each, and 2-story 5-room flat, rent for both $90 a month. Only $7500 cash. Also 2 lots for another machine, cost $1000 each. Address owner, 1000 Harding Nat. Bank Bldg., Los Angeles. Seven rooms in each house.
FOR SALE—DON'T WAIT ... UNTIL SATURDAY NIGHT TO TELEPHONE YOUR BUNDAY ADS FOR THE TIMES. DO IT FRIDAY OR EARLY SATURDAY, AS YOU MAY NOT BE ABLE TO GET YOUR ADD IN AT ALL. 9 P.M. IS CLOSING HOUR FOR ALL CLASSIFICATIONS. PICO 7000. 10000.
FOR SALE—VACANT 5-ROOM MODERN BUNGA-low, hardwood floors throughout; built-in bookcase, buffet, china closet, tiled bath and sink, bath, lot 50x150; cement basement, garage, chicken yard and fruit trees. $4100; $1000 cash, terms. For E. H. MOORE, 4100 Central ave. South 6600. Residence South 1306.
FOR SALE—BY OWNER,
Furnished,
6-room, modern, bungalow, hardwood floors throughout, lot, cost $5325 L. MAIN. South 5321-J.
FOR SALE—IN BEAUTIFUL EAST GLENDALE, ... 5-room, modern, bungalow, hardwood floors, ivory finish, in the two bedrooms and kitchen; lot 50x200; $4000 cash, or will take half cash and balance monthly; owner will build to suit; ... $4000, or address 2913 FRANCIS AVE., city.
FOR SALE—1917 WEST 54TH. 6-ROOM MOD-ern bungalow, southern exposure, built-in features, hardwood floors throughout, garage, newly decorated. Owner will close 12 to 2 daily. Take $415 st. car. Price $4000.
FOR SALE—
$3250—$1000 CASH—$3250.
5-room modern bungalow.
Fireplace, paved, trees.
3111 OAKLAND ST., Sierra Park.
Phone East 2288.
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FOR SALE—RAYER STREET, NEW WHITE CO-lonial, perfect appointment. Three bedrooms, den, sleeping porch, hardwood floors, $8000 cash. Gustafson Realty Co., 419 Etherton Bldg. 18781.
FOR SALE—FURNISHED OR UNFURNISHED 6-room double cottage, 2 rooms and bath, 5 rooms and bath, lawn, flowers, clear; sell one or all; or trade. Call 1st and 4. 1407 E. 28TH ST., ½ block west Vermont ave.
FOR SALE — TERMS, 5-ROOM BUNGALOW, ... partly modern, fireplace, garage, lot, 40x130; 945 W. 43RD PLACE, near Exposition Park and Manual Arts; Grand ave. cars. Owner present 10 to 1 o'clock. Immediate possession.
FOR SALE— LOOK AT THIS.
Two fine flats cabinets, modern to date and in fine condition, cost front lot, lawn and flowers, 2 blocks car. Price only $5000 cash. Call OWNER at Vermont 244 after 6 p.m.
FOR SALE—
Westlake ave. Modern 2-room home, apartment property, hardwood floors, fir, fireplace, built-in features, tiled bath. Phone OWNER 81085 after 10 a.m.
FOR SALE—WHY NOT BUILD THE HOME YOU ... are renting for? You will save money and at the same time get exactly what you want. It will more than pay you to investigate. LEWIS & DOLL, 1020 Title Ins. Bldg. exper.
FOR SALE—$3,500 GOING EAST, MUST SAC-rifice my newly built home next Norton and Wilshire, not built to sell but constructed of best materials, has strictly modern, 6 rooms, 2 baths. CALL 367588.
FOR SALE — SPECIAL, SOUTHWEST, NEAR ... Normal, 4½ rooms, 2 bedrooms, garage, $600 down, balance easy. PARK REALTY CO., 6716 S. Figueroa.
FOR SALE—OWNER'S HOME, NORTHWEST, ... modern 7-room furnished house, East 20th, near car line. Four bedrooms, sleeping porch, elevation and neighborhood. A snap. Price $7250. Cash $250, balance like rent. 252 I. W. HELLMAN BLDG. Phone 62814.
FOR SALE—WELL-BUILT 6-ROOM AND BATH ... bungalow, all improvements, large lot, 42nd st., between Hooper and Figueroa, $4000, all cash. Would take half. Address S, box 162, TIMES OFFICE.
FOR SALE—COTTAGE, 6 ROOMS, 2822 LEI-NINGTON AVE. Large rooms with built-in features, Modern conditions, ready for immediate occup

ssified Liners.

HOUSES— For Sale.

FOR SALE—BEAUTIFUL 7-room BUNGALOW, hard of North Wilshire, 2 fireplaces, living-room, panelled; dining-room, beautiful; all built-in features. A home that will please. Terms. GRANT McCARTNEY COMPANY, 805 Merchants' National Bank Bldg. For 20

FOR SALE— Harvard Hgts., near Wilshire; large lot, 50 ft. front; garage; paved; 5 rooms; price $5250; terms. Owner, 2027 Bonsallo ave.

HOLLYWOOD— For Sale, Exchange, Wanted, &c.

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COLONIAL HOUSE
WEST HOLLYWOOD.

LOCATED IN A short PICTURESQUE AND SURROUNDED BY BEAUTIFUL HOMES, AN UNINTERRUPTED VIEW OF THE SEA THAT CANNOT EVER BE ELIMINATED. A BEAUTIFUL 2-STORY COLONIAL HOUSE, CONTAINING 8 ROOMS, 3 BATHS, BUILT FOR DESIGN AND COMFORT OF LIVING, WITH HARDWOOD FLOORS, BUILT-IN BOOKCASES AND CABINETS, DRAPERIES AND RUGS AND EVERYTHING THAT GOES TO MAKE THE HOME COMPLETE. IT WILL BE PLACED ON THE MARKET AND IN FACT AS ONE OF THE BEST BUYS OBTAINABLE AT THE PRICE AT WHICH IT WILL BE OFFERED. FOR A FEW DAYS AND WHICH IS BEING BUILT AS DESCRIBED HERE. FOR FURTHER REQUIREMENTS, ARRANGE FOR AN INNER FOR INSPECTION APPOINTMENT.

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FOR SALE—HOLLYWOOD.
Six-room bungalow, garage, fruit trees, 1 block from car line. Will exchange for Los Angeles property. Price $4500. Terms. Owner, 1747 Cahuenga ave., Hollywood. Phone 1747.

Two-room house, 4 bedrooms, sleeping porch, 2 lots; 60x150, corner; close of Hollywood boulevard; fruit trees, flowers, shrubbery. Price $12,500.

Apartment-house, one block from the center of Hollywood; 6 rooms and bath; 3 apartments; income $100 per month. We are sole agents for this property. Price $7500.

Lot, beautiful view, 100 feet frontage by 150 feet depth, north of the boulevard; one block from car. Price $1400.

5-room house, 2 miles from Los Angeles, on car line; 44 lots of all sizes. Address P. O. Box 84, Hollywood. Price $4800.

J. D. RIDELL, Holly 284. 6934 Sherwood blvd.

FOR SALE—CLAYTON'S HOLLYWOOD SPECIAL.
A 2-STORY HOME OF 7 rooms, sleeping porch and garage; 2 bedrooms, downstairs; fireplace, built-in features, hardwood floors throughout; one of finest and finest homes in the district of Colonial and Spanish design; 2 blocks from Hollywood boulevard; 1 block from Sunset boulevard. This HOME will appeal to any one looking for a home of distinction. Price $12,500. Terms. If you are really looking for a home of distinction, see this proposition. 1747 HIGHLAND BLVD. Holly 2045.

FOR SALE—

BUNGALOWS.

Don't waste your time hunting a home to suit you. Let us show you a few of the best locations, with cheap prices and easy terms. Call at 1152 N. Bronson ave., Hollywood, or 4 months' income required. Owner leaving city. Call 1152 N. Bronson ave., Hollywood, or see caretaker.

M. E. OSWALD, 59887.

FOR SALE—$6000. BARGAIN.

Big cash, block from boulevard, modern 6-room bungalow, hardwood floors throughout, breakfast nook, hardwood floors throughout, breakfast nook, fireplace, garage; this property will be handled at a sacrifice; $1000 cash will handle it; $1000 monthly payments. Owner, 1914 Fuller ave., Hollywood.

FOR EXCHANGE—Owner leaving city will exchange his equity in 5-room bungalow, Hollywood, for Los Angeles property, will pay some cash difference if necessary. Call 929 W. 67th st. phone 69301.

For Exchange.

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Iowa Association holds annual "Admission Day" dinner and reunion at City Club.

Los Angeles Alumnae Club of Pi Beta Phi holds annual Christmas party at 12:30 p.m. at home of Mrs. C. H. Porter, 1900 Victoria drive.

Los Angeles Military Presidential Club meets at 2 p.m. in California Building.

Pioneer Express will be launched at 10:45 a.m. at yards of Los Angeles Shipbuilding and Dry Dock Company.

AMUSEMENTS.

California—"Blind Husbands."
Majestic—"Male and Female."
Mason—"A Girl Named Mary."
Orpheum—Vaudeville.
Hippodrome—Vaudeville.
Broadway—"Our Fighting Gentleman."
Victory—"His Official Fiancee."
Alhambra—"The Hooked Hoof."
Metropolitan—Concert in "The Willow Tree."
Kinema—"A Twilight Bell."
Garrick—"The Big Sea."
Pantages—Vaudeville.
Tally's Broadway—"A Day's Pleasure."
Hamburger's—Showing in "Civilian Clothes."
Du Lan—"What Every Woman Learns."
Palace—"Betty of Greystone."
Clune's—"The Fall of Babylon."
Miller's—"The Illustrious Prince."
Pepe's Broadway—"More Deadly Than the Male."
Mason—"Twin Beds."
Walker's—"The Golden Shower."

THE CITY AND ENVIRONS.

In Lincoln Park.

Pearl Cole McMullen and Lenore Truinette will be the soloists at a concert to be given in Lincoln Park tomorrow afternoon by Gregogy's Band.

Patriotic Mothers.

The Patriotic Mothers will meet at 2 p.m., Monday, in the Broadway Department Store auditorium. There will be addresses by returned service men. The board of directors will have a business meeting at 1 p.m.

On Labor Conditions.

B. N. Langdon-Davies, English labor leader, will speak on labor conditions in his home country at a luncheon-meeting of the City Club today. He is considered one of the best-posted men in England on this subject.

For South Dakota Folk.

Dr. W. Franklin Jones of the University of Southern California, formerly of the University of South Dakota, will be the speaker at a meeting of the South Dakota Society in Forum Hall, Mercantile place, this evening.

To Rotary Club.

Dr. David H. Ray, professor of mechanical engineering and business counsel at Throop, will speak on "Industrial Valuations" at a meeting of the Rotary Club, at noon today at 741 South Broadway. The Cotterill sisters will furnish entertainment.

SHIP LOST IN HAWAII.

San Francisco Schooner Okanogan Reported Ashore on Reef.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 26.—The schooner Okanogan, a four-masted wooden vessel registered from San Francisco and owned by the Fife Shipping Company, is ashore on a reef in Hanamaulo Bay, of the Island of Kauai, Hawaiian group, according to a message from Honolulu received here today by the Chamber of Commerce. The vessel was reported to be a total loss, but the crew was saved. The Okanogan was built at Port Blakely, Wash., twenty-five years ago.

The steamer West Kasson, a Shipping Board vessel being operated by the Pacific Mail Company, is ten days overdue at Hampton Roads from Rotterdam, according to reports in marine circles here today, and fear was felt for her safety. The vessel left Rotterdam, December 4, and was due at her destination about December 18. She sailed from San Francisco for Java before going to Rotterdam.

CHICAGO POLES SUED FOR MILLION DOLLARS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 26.—Miss Emily Napieralski, president of the Polish Woman's Alliance, today started two suits for $500,000 each, alleging libel against the Polish National Publishing Company and the Polish National Alliance and officials of the organizations. John F. Smulski, majority stockholder in the publishing company, and Casimir Zychinski, president of the alliance, and some of the editors of the Polish publications were among the defendants.

It was alleged an article in Polish publications named Miss Napieralski as being instrumental in obtaining a contract from the Polish Minister of Finance for an American corporation to raise $250,000,000 for use in Poland and that the company was profiteering unduly. Miss Napieralski declared the published story erroneous and that her recent mission to Poland was in connection with work for Polish orphans.

The young lady across the way says her father is very loyal to his home town and always makes his loans at his own bank at 6 per cent., even though money is quoted as high as 16 per cent. in New York.

FRANCE ADOPTS DAYLIGHT LAW.

Clocks Set Ahead to Conserve Fuel Supply.

Clemenceau Slated to Become Next President.

Loyal People Quickly Absorb New Credit Loan.

[BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

PARIS, Dec. 26. — The Cabinet met today and approved the bill providing for the turning ahead of the clocks one hour beginning February 1 as a fuel conservation measure.

Louis Klotz, Minister of Finance, met with the Cabinet and presented questions relating to the financial situation, which, it was decided, would be discussed further at a meeting next Monday.

"TIGER" FOR PRESIDENT.

[BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

PARIS, Thursday, Dec. 25. — President Poincare's successor will be elected on January 17, according to the inference generally drawn by the Parisian press from Premier Clemenceau's statement in the chamber that his Cabinet would definitely resign on that date. It is also deduced from the Premier's declaration that he will be a candidate for the Presidency, which means that he will be elected virtually without opposition.

OIL PAPER FOR GLASS.

[BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

VALENCIENNES (France) Dec. 26.—Millions of yards of oiled paper are being used in France as a substitute for window glass while the glass works in ten departments, wiped out during the war, are being rebuilt. This observation was made today by the correspondent of the Associated Press, who is being made acquainted with reconstruction work through a trip conducted under government auspices. The "transparency" is composed of two sheets of oiled paper stretched between the window casings and reinforced by a widely-spaced network of strings.

FRENCH LOAN ABSORBED.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—France's national credit loan was oversubscribed on the first day, according to cable advices received here today from Paris by the French commission. The advices were received here today from Paris by the French commission. The advices added that the oversubscription had exceeded the most optimistic expectations of the government.

SEEKS TO RESTRAIN SHIPYARDS PICKETS.

BETHLEHEM STEEL COMPANY AT SAN FRANCISCO APPEALS TO FEDERAL COURT.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 26.—A petition seeking a restraining order to prevent picketing the San Francisco and Alameda plants of the Bethlehem Steel and Shipbuilding Company was filed in the Federal District Court here today by attorneys for the Shipbuilders. Fifty union officials and a number of unions were made defendants in the action.

Three thousand men, according to the petition, now are employed at the plants here and in Alameda, whereas 10,000 were employed before the shipyard strike became effective several months ago.

The petition, which is similar to one by which the Schaw-Batcher Company endeavored to prevent picketing recently, charged union officials with conspiring to make the plants shut down and with uttering threats to injure and destroy vessels under construction. An injunction was asked to prevent pickets from inducing or coercing employees of the plants to quit work.

Seventy-five vessels are either under construction or contracted for by the Bethlehem company here, the petition pointed out. The local plant builds destroyers, while the Alameda concern turns out merchant vessels.

PROFITEERS LOSE OUT ON CHRISTMAS TREES.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—Speculators in Christmas trees were hard hit in New York this year, and today dealers who had hoped for big profits hired truckmen to cart many remaining firs to the bay. Others were turned over to janitors to help heat apartments.

Large shipments of Christmas trees were brought in three weeks ago, and were priced from $6 to $10 each. No stampede of customers was observed, however, and a week later very fine specimens could be obtained for $2 to $4. Tuesday night trees were selling from 25 cents to $1, and on Christmas Eve there were many piles in various parts of the city over which were signs reading: "Please take one."

STANDARD OIL MAKES HUGE RUMANIAN DEAL.

[BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

GENEVA, Thursday, Dec. 25.—Contracts have just been closed by the Standard Oil Company with the Rumanian government and with private firms there for half a million barrels of refined petroleum, according to a Bucharest dispatch.

It is said the price paid was $2,150,000 and that the oil will be taken to America by way of Constantinople on ships supplied by the American government. The contracts run through February, 1920. British firms endeavored to secure the oil, but were outbid, it is reported.

Hungary Counting the Cost.

[BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

BERLIN, Dec. 26.—Huszar, the Hungarian Premier, stated in Budapest to a deputation representing those crippled during the war that communism had cost Hungary 18,000,000,000 kronen (nominally about $3,600,000,000,) according to a report received here. The Premier said that the Rumanian invasion had taken 36,000,000,000 kronen more. The National Assembly now had to restore Hungary's finances from a desperate condition.

THE WEATHER.

[Official Report.]

LOCAL OFFICE, U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, Dec. 26.—[Reported by H. B. Hersey, Meteorologist.] At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 30.16; at 5 p.m., 29.20. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 63 deg. and 78 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 42 per cent.; 5 p.m., 24 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., gentle, velocity 4 miles; 5 p.m., southwest, velocity 8 miles. Highest temperature, 81 deg.; lowest, 61 deg. Rainfall for season, 4.66 inches; last season to date, 4.30 inches. Barometer reduced to sea level.

WEATHER CONDITIONS.—Fair weather, with mild temperature, has prevailed over practically the whole country during the past twenty-four hours. Fair weather will continue in this vicinity Saturday, with somewhat lower temperature.

UPPER AIR DATA.

The wind at surface yesterday morning was northeast, two miles an hour. It became northerly at 1000 feet altitude and shifted back to northeasterly at 2500 feet, increasing to about ten miles an hour in velocity. It continued northeasterly up to 10,000 feet altitude, the limit of observation, increasing in velocity up to 7000 feet, where it was twenty-four miles an hour, then gradually decreasing to ten miles an hour at 10,000 feet.

ORCHARD REPORTS.—Minimum and maximum temperatures from the orchards reporting daily to the Los Angeles office of the U. S. Weather Bureau were as follows:

Station—	Max.	Min.
Bakersfield	78	44
Bonita	74	52
Covina	78	59
El Cajon	84	60
Escondido	82	60
Pasadena	79	41
Pomona	78	42
Redlands	78	42
Riverside	84	40
Santa Barbara	74	51
San Bernardino	80	46
San Fernando	80	51
Santa Ana	78	48

LOCAL FORECAST.

For Los Angeles and vicinity: Saturday fair. Cooler. Light to heavy frost in interior in early morning. Gentle northerly winds.

STATE FORECAST.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 26.—Weather forecast: San Francisco and vicinity: Fair saturday; gentle winds, mostly easterly.

Northern California: Fair and cooler Saturday; light to heavy frost in the interior in the early morning; gentle northerly winds.

Sacramento, Santa Clara, and San Joaquin valleys: Fair Saturday; light to heavy frost in the early morning; gentle winds, mostly easterly.

ARIZONA FORECAST.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—Forecast for Arizona: Fair Saturday and Sunday; slightly warmer in south portion.

COLORADO RIVER.

YUMA (Ariz.) Dec. 26.—[Exclusive Dispatch from the U. S. Reclamation Service.] Change in Colorado River, 15.0 feet. Discharge, Thursday, 7500 cubic feet; Friday, 7700 cubic feet.

LAW AGAINST FOREIGN LANGUAGES IS UPHELD.

NEBRASKA SUPREME COURT DECLARES BAN ON USE IN SCHOOLS CONSTITUTIONAL.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

LINCOLN (Neb.) Dec. 26.—Constitutionality of a State law designed to curtail use of the foreign languages in Nebraska schools as an Americanization measure was upheld by the State Supreme Court today.

The law, which applies to all public, private, parochial and denominational schools in the State, provides:

That foreign languages shall not be employed in giving instruction on any subject to pupils below the ninth grade.

That foreign languages may be taught as languages in the ninth and higher grades.

Validity of the law was attacked by the Nebraska District of the Evangelical Lutheran Synod of Missouri, Ohio and other States, and by St. Francis Catholic Church of South Omaha, whose attorney charged, among other things, that its operation would interfere with religious liberty.

The court, after holding that the act does not prohibit teaching of moral and religious matters in languages other than English, said:

"Laws, the purpose of which are, with respect to foreign-language speaking children, to give them such training that they may know and understand their privileges, duties, powers and responsibilities as American citizens, which seek to prevent a foreign language from being used as a medium of instruction in other branches and as a basis of their education, are certainly conducive of the public welfare and not obnoxious to any provisions of either the State or Federal Constitution."

Interpreting the law, the high court also held that it does not prohibit teaching of a foreign language if taught in addition to the regular course of study in elementary schools so as not to interfere with the elementary education required by law.

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ALM—MONTGOMERY. Anton V. Alm, 30; Elma Montgomery, 26.

ANDRADE—ARRIA. Jose Andrade, 35; Marguerite Arria, 20.

BURROWS — CAMPBELL. Palmer Burrows, 23; Gladys V. Campbell, 18.

BEUTTER—JAMES. Joseph H. Beutter, 25; Mary J. James, 23.

BOAZ—ANDERSON. Newton J. Boaz, 30; Helen R. Anderson, 21.

BRIGGS — BLANC. Maurice Brown, 23; Dorothy Smith, 19.

BRENNAN — HATTIN. Edward V. Brennan, 28; Ida L. Hattin, 28.

BROWN—SLATER. George L. Brown, 31; Ada M. Slater, 19.

BUSSO — CERUTTI. Ray D. Busso, 28; Elizabeth Cerutti, 26.

CLAY—JEFFERSON. Earl R. Clay, 25; Frances E. Jefferson, 20.

CREASER—DECKER. Charles D. Creaser, 40; Mollie Decker, 38.

DEMARTY — GILLESPIE. Paul Demarty, 23; Ina Gillespie, 20.

DISCH—DAY. George Disch, 74; Catherine Day, 61.

ESPARZA—LOPEZ. Jose Esparza, 25; Jesusa Lopez, 26.

FAIRCLOT—SAVAGE. George R. Fairclot, 21; Jessie Savage, 25.

HARTLEY—LLOYD. Walter W. Hartley, 33; Elizabeth D. Lloyd, 25.

HUBATON—WYMAN. Clark B. Hubaton, 29; Carrie M. Wyman, 25.

HUGHETT—WARD. Hugh S. Hughett, 28; Helen F. Ward, 27.

INGRAM—GATES. Frederick G. Ingram, 26; Katherine H. Pyne, 19.

IRWIN—CUMMINS. William A. Irwin, 29; Cecelia A. Cummins, 28.

JACKMAN — HALSEY. Harold J. Jackman, 23; Ruth Halsey, 26.

JACKSON—WILLIAMS. Walter Jackson, 30; Annie Williams, 40.

JAMESON—SIGURD. Harding M. Jameson, 75; Rose M. Sturdy, 67.

KATZEV—NEZELL. Nathan G. Katzev, 20; Mary Nezell, 18.

KILDAY—CHESTHAM. Edward Kilday, 27; Lily Chestham, 17.

KOCHGOTTEN—BROWN. Frederick S. Kochgotten, 20; Alice Brown, 25.

KRISTJION — MOORE. George F. Kristjion, 50; Frances McCue, 30.

LAMONT—MANN. Leighton M. Lamont, 21; Leah R. Mann, 21.

LANE — BARNET. Cecil H. Lane, 22; Ethel A. Barnet, 19.

LARSON—MALMEN. James E. Large, 21; Mary M. Malmen, 18.

LINDSTAT-RAMSTEDT. Adolph G. Lindstat, 25; Alice F. Ramstedt, 20.

LOPEZ—HERRERA. Elelo Lopez, 20; Ana Herrera, 28.

LOMAN — McGOWEN. Franklin B. Loman, 29; Pearl McGowen, 17.

MATHEWS — CAMPBELL. George Mathews, 31; Elizabeth B. Campbell, 30.

MATTHAS — HUNTINGTON. Burt C. Matthas, 28; Myrtle Huntington, 18.

McELROY—RAY. Robert M. McElroy, 28; Ethel Ray, 24.

McNEILL—MILLER. Duncan J. McNeill, 47; Grace M. Miller, 37.

MILLER—GORDON. Henry D. Miller, 30; Cynthia Gordon, 30.

MONTOYA — ——. Efren Montoya, 25; Antonia ——, 22.

MYERS—SARTAIN. Kirk B. Myers, 42; Sabra R. Sartain, 39.

NOELL — MIDDLETON. Edward D. Noell, Jr., 40; Bessie G. Wortham, 40.

ORTIZ—MAY. Jose M. Ortiz, 39; Virginia May, 40.

PFLUEGER—LAUGHLIN. August Pflueger, 63; Evangeline Laughlin, 50.

PLOWE — MONTRIAL. San Plowe, 19; Stella Montrial, 18.

PRICE—WEBB. George Price, 30; Gladys Webb, 20.

RAYNER—CLARKSON. Percy A. Rayner, 30; Elizabeth Clarkson, 24.

BAYEL—MANDEL. James N. Rayel, 29; Lillian L. Mandel, 28.

RICHARDS—CRENSHAW. Warren D. Rhoades, 27; Ada P. Crenshaw, 24.

RICKARD—KIMBALL. Robert M. Rickard, 21; Lillian C. Kimball, 21.

RICKOLDS — ——. Robert B. Rickolds, 21; ——, 21.

SCHWARTZ — ROSENFELD. Samuel S. Schwartz, 27; Minnie Rosenfeld, 25.

SHAFTER—LOFTUS. Max Shafter, 40; Rachel Loftus, 30.

SHACKELFORD—CROSS. William I. Shackelford, 24; Violet Cross, 19.

SPRATLING—CROSS. Walter F. Spratling, 32; Hazel Cross, 19.

STANLEY — ——. Albert Stanley, 50; Ruth C. ——, 19.

SWARTHOUT—GOLDWELL. Samuel F. Swarthout, 60; Ida Goldwell, 50.

TERRY — ——. Thomas A. Trunk, 28; Pearl ——, 25.

VALENTINE—LOWRY. William T. Valine, 32; Elizabeth Lowry, 30.

WAGNER — CARPENTER. Carl N. Wagner, 26; Lucile Carpenter, 24.

WALTON—LOWRY. Lawrence W. Walton, 30; Leonora Lowry, 30.

WEBB — ——. Maude D. West, 71; Alice B. ——, 70.

WILLIAMS—WILLIAMS. Henry F. Williams, 46; Ada S. Williams, 38.

BIRTHS.

Names, sex, place and date of birth.

ANDERSON, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse, Daughter, Calvary Hospital, Dec. 24.

BALL, Mr. and Mrs. Walter, Daughter, California Lying-In Hospital, Dec. 24.

BARMEIER, Mr. and Mrs. Fred, Son, California Lying-In Hospital, Dec. 24.

BECKETT, Mr. and Mrs. Maxwell, Daughter, Clara Barton Memorial Hospital, Dec. 24.

BUNCH, Mr. and Mrs. Frank, Son, 2501 Portland, Dec. 24.

CONDE, Mr. and Mrs. Frank, Son, 1900 Victoria Ave., Dec. 24.

DEVORE, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest, Son, Methodist Hospital, Dec. 24.

DYER, Mr. and Mrs. Earl, Son, 2621 Fourth, Dec. 24.

EBEY, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest, Daughter, Clara Barton Memorial Hospital, Dec. 24.

EVANS, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon, Daughter, 6020 Denker, Dec. 24.

FLEMING, Mr. and Mrs. Clark, Son, 1900 Victoria Ave., Dec. 24.

GARDNER, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel, Daughter, 479 Mathews, Dec. 24.

HODGKINSON, Mr. and Mrs. Williams, Son, 2344 Cimarron, Dec. 24.

LAZZO, Mr. and Mrs. Rocco, Daughter, 1201 West 1st, Dec. 24.

LAND, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas, Daughter, Methodist Hospital, Dec. 24.

LOCKE, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick, Daughter, 1201 West 1st, Dec. 24.

MEYER, Mr. and Mrs. Henry, Daughter, 1201 West 1st, Dec. 24.

MORENA, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph, Daughter, 1201 West 1st, Dec. 24.

NEUMAN, Mr. and Mrs. Louis, Daughter, 1201 West 1st, Dec. 24.

NEUTZE, Mr. and Mrs. Henry, Daughter, 1234 Beach, Dec. 24.

RUSSELL, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest, Daughter, 1201 West 1st, Dec. 24.

SHOCK, Mr. and Mrs. Ira, Son, 770 Ninth St., Dec. 24.

WALKER, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest, Son, 1405 Bird Park, Dec. 24.

DIVORCE SUITS FILED.

BAIRD, Lillian M. against Alexander L.

BAXTER, Charles F. against Mary P.

DAVIS, Irene against Frank C.

DAVIS, Irene A. against George B.

FRANCE, Ruth against Ernest.

HOLLENBECK, Ada against Charles H.

HOOKER, Pearl against Clarence E.

MARTIN, Ruth against Ernest.

O'CONNELL, Clara E. against John P.

PRATT, Ethel against Charles E.

SANTOS, Antonio against Ortenbira F.

WINSLOW, Ruth against Pat.

DIVORCE DECREES GRANTED.

DE GRAAN, Lydia from Ab.

FOLEY, J. O. from Helen A.

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STRICKLAND, Ethel from L. A.

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OFFICIAL DEATH LIST.

Names and places of death— Age. Date.

ARMSTRONG, Laura, Los Angeles... 72 Dec. 24
ARNEZ, Antonio, Los Angeles... 72 Dec. 24
BARWICK, Bernard, Los Angeles... 72 Dec. 24
BIRTS, Gussie, Los Angeles... 72 Dec. 24
HUNTON, Ethel, Los Angeles... 72 Dec. 24
KUHL, Margaret, Los Angeles... 72 Dec. 24
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BROKER IS B TWO ME

Slain Outside H fore by Burgla that They K

Albert Norwood, 35 years o stock salesman, recently from K night by one of two men who h steal his automobile, parked jus was shot twice, the fatal shot t pirate battle, in which Norwood' dester ran to a second car in wood's body was picked up near was parked.

Shortly before midnight the guns, a taxi driver, that he was them wearing a sailor's uniform Lomita from Sixth and Main s ond. When they arrived at L ground awhile, then climbed ba from Lomita they produced rev automobile.

"I hate to do this, old man killed a man for revenge." The away with the car.

The call at the University sta was received at 6:40, giving bandits plenty of time to reach S and Main streets, the detect pointed out.

After a long talk with Mrs. N wood, and a rechecking of the c obtained by them, Detective C said late last night he believed murder may have been an outgro of a deliberate plan to slay Norwo

NO WITNESSES.

Less than two blocks from University Police Station and wit hearing of scores of persons in ne by homes, the Norwood murder committed with no near eye nesses to give the police an ac his description of the assailants complete details of the shooti shots of persons heard the sh fired and several say Norwood the killer ran across the street ward the machine where the ma companion, or companions, w waiting. Several reports that th were women in the strange car w noticed by the University stat officers and detectives from Cent Station, but no one could be fou to give any description of them.

HOME BURGLARIZED.

Norwood is the man whose ho was visited by burglars early yest day morning, and jewelry and oth property valued at $3400 tak Detective Sergeants Hern Winn and Taylor, who a working on the case, were incli to believe that the burglary and t murder had no connection with ea other.

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BROKER IS SHOT DEAD BY TWO MEN, WHO ESCAPE.

Slain Outside Home Looted Night Before by Burglars; Suspects Declare that They Killed for Revenge.

Elliott Norwood, 35 years old, of 900½ West Jefferson street, an oil-field salesman, recently from Kansas City, was shot and killed early last night by one of two men who had been waiting for him or for a chance to steal his automobile, parked just outside of the victim's house. Norwood was shot twice, the fatal shot taking effect only after a chase and a desperate battle, in which Norwood's car was wrecked against a building. The murderer ran to a second car in which his companion was waiting. Norwood's body was picked up nearly 300 feet from where the Norwood car was parked.

Shortly before midnight the police received a report from C. A. Burgoon, a taxi driver, that he was held up and robbed by two men, one of whom was wearing a sailor's uniform. The men asked him to drive them to Lomita from Sixth and Main streets, about 7:35 or 7:40 p.m., Burgoon said. When they arrived at Lomita the men left the car and walked toward a public, then climbed back and started toward town. Two miles south of Lomita they produced revolvers, took $28 from the driver and his automobile.

"I hate to do this, old man," the sailor said to Burgoon, "but I just killed a man for revenge." The two men tied Burgoon's hands and drove off with the car.

Police on call at the University station were notified at 6:40, giving the bandits plenty of time to reach Sixth and Main streets, the detectives point out.

Following a long talk with Mrs. Norwood, and a rechecking of the clews gathered by them, Detective Cline declared late last night he believed the murder may have been an outgrowth of a deliberate plan to slay Norwood.

NO WITNESSES.

Less than two blocks from the County Police Station and within hearing of scores of persons in near-by homes, the Norwood murder was committed with no near eyewitness to give the police an accurate description of the assailants or complete details of the shooting. Scores of persons heard the shots fired and several saw Norwood and his killer run across the street to-ward the machine where the man's companion, or companions, were waiting. Several reports that there were women in the strange car were sifted by the University station police and detectives from Central station, but no one could be found to answer any description of them.

HOME BURGLARIZED.

Dressed in the man whose home was looted by burglars early yesterday morning, and jewelry and other articles valued at $3400 taken by the bandits, Detective Sergeants Herman Wiss and Taylor, who are working on the case, were inclined to believe that the burglary and the killing had no connection with each other.

Up to midnight the police were unable to obtain any clews except that a half-dozen of empty beer bottles found near the spot where the other car was reported standing prior to the shooting, and the number of a Buick car, stolen earlier in the night, which the officers believe may have been the one used by the murderers.

According to the victim's widow, they drove up to the house late in the afternoon, leaving the car just south of Jefferson street, on Hoover. About a half an hour before the shooting, Mrs. Norwood asked him to drive to a baker shop and get some rolls. Norwood returned and a few minutes later said: "Well, if there's nothing else you want, I'll take the car to the garage."

The garage used by Mr. Norwood is directly back of the flat in which he lived. He either found a man in his car and attacked him or was himself attacked. Tracks left in the street show that the car swerved away from the curb, rolled on about seventy-five feet and then swerved sharply to the right, ran over the curbing and crashed into the porch of a flat building at 3405 South Hoover street.

At the same instant two shots were heard. A pool of blood on the running-board shows that one man was hanging on to the car when Norwood was first shot, the bullet striking his right wrist.

STORIES OF WITNESSES.

What next followed was seen by at least three witnesses. According to the stories of Mrs. S. H. McKimm of 855 West Thirty-fourth street, H. J. McMath, 940 West Thirty-fourth street, and C. W. Henderson, 901 West Thirty-fifth street, one man was seen running across the street,

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TO BEAR CITY'S NAME OVERSEAS

Steamer Angeles to Leave Ways at Harbor Today.

Christening Marks Victory in Fourth Loan Drive.

Grand-daughter of ex-Mayor to Lave Bow with Wine.

This city's own particular ship, the Angeles, so named in honor of the patriotism of the citizens whose generosity gave this community first rank in the Fourth Liberty Loan drive on the Pacific Coast, will be launched shortly before 11 a.m. today from the ways of the Los Angeles Shipbuilding and Dry Dock Company at the Harbor. The vessel, a U. S. Shipping Board cargo carrier of 8800 tons, will be the twenty-first launched at these yards.

A notable gathering of officials, business men and other guests will see Miss Ruth Wathen Montgomery, grand-daughter of the late L. J. Rose, pioneer resident, former Mayor and well-known banker, break a bottle of real and precious sparkling wine against the vessel's bow and hear her bestow upon the craft the city's euphonious name.

OFFICIAL PARTY.

Mayor Snyder will be present at the launching, together with members of the City Council and of the Harbor Commission and representatives of the Chamber of Commerce and of the Board of Supervisors, in addition to representatives of the shipbuilding corporation, the Shipping Board and the Emergency Fleet Corporation. The invited guests will assemble at the yards at 10 a.m. and proceed at once to the launching platform.

The Angeles will be so named in pursuance to an announcement made early this year that this city had won over all communities of the Pacific Coast in the "above quota" record in the Fourth Liberty Loan drive. The Treasury Department had agreed to name a vessel for the city that should make the best showing in that drive, the honor fell to Los Angeles and the craft just being completed was set aside for that purpose. Final data on the drive showed that Los Angeles citizens contributed $45,696,350, or 116.85 per cent. over quota, and San Francisco, the next highest city, gave $110,836,150, or 102.74 per cent. over quota.

TO FINISH CYCLE.

The Chamber of Commerce yesterday suggested that a strong appeal should be made to the Shipping Board that the craft which will carry this city's name to the ports of the world shall be allocated to a Los Angeles shipping company.

If such disposition of the new vessel could be obtained, it is pointed out, the chain of home enterprise would be complete. The building of the hull represents Los Angeles industry, the privilege of naming is a tribute to the city's patriotic generosity and if Los Angeles could be made the craft's home port, the cycle of local enterprise would be complete.

AUTO VICTIM DIES.

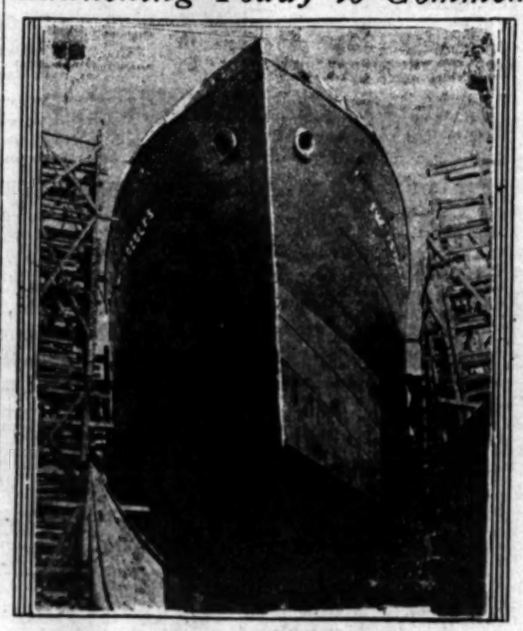
Death Car Driver Arrested for Failure to Stop and Aid.

Following announcement yesterday that Mrs. Henrietta Green, an elderly woman, had died as the result of being run down by an automobile at Hoover and Thirty-second streets, a complaint charging failure to stop and render aid was issued yesterday by Deputy Dist.-Atty. Randall against O. E. Burgner. The latter's motor car skidded onto the sidewalk and injured Mrs. Green, it is charged, but Mr. Burgner failed to offer her aid until a half-hour afterward, when he returned to the scene. He was arrested by Constable Hayes and was released on $1000 bonds by Justice Brown.

TAR PICKLE, SAYS WIFE.

In a suit for separate maintenance, filed yesterday, Mrs. Marguerite E. Hill declares her husband, Eugene Hill, while in the navy, came to see her when on shore duty, but that he took women to dance halls. On one occasion, she says, he refused to escort her home, but went away with another woman.

Launching Today to Commemorate City's Loan Patriotism.



The Hull of the Angeles, to be Launched Today, and Its Sponsor, Miss Ruth Wathen Montogomery.

WATCHMANN HELD FOR SHOOTING MESSENGER.

FREED ON BAIL DOHENY GIVES WHILE HOSPITAL REPORTS WOUNDED YOUTH DYING.

H. E. Heller, E. L. Doheny's night watchman, who, on Christmas Eve shot and seriously wounded M. N. Allyn, a messenger for the Hasty Messenger Service, was accused of assault with intent to commit murder in a complaint issued yesterday by Deputy District Attorney Joos.

According to Police Detective Oaks, who obtained the complaint, Heller said first that Allyn and a young man with him shot at him as they passed in their automobile, but later admitted he heard what might have been an automobile backfire.

While Heller was being arraigned before Justice Brown, word was received by Detective Oaks that Allyn was on the point of death at the California Hospital. The young man was operated on in an effort to save his life, but the bullet having entered a vulnerable part of the abdomen, little hope was held out for his recovery. Should Allyn die a murder charge will be asked, the police say.

Justice Brown fixed bail at $10,000 and Heller was lodged in the County Jail until E. L. Doheny and his son, E. L. Doheny, Jr., arrived and gave bonds. Heller was then released.

JEWISH EDITOR HURT.

Sam Stone Seriously Injured as Auto is Ditched.

While en route home from San Diego with two friends, Wednesday, Sam Stone, editor of the Jewish Times, was seriously injured when the automobile ran off the grade near Oceanside and overturned in the ditch.

With Mr. Stone were Jake Greenblef of Boston and Nathan Kadinsky of Des Moines. They escaped with minor hurts. Mr. Stone suffered painful lacerations and internal injuries which have since confined him to his home at 434 Centennial street.

SHE TRIES AGAIN.

Files New Divorce Suit After Age Kills Old One.

Mrs. Ramona L. Piatte is not discouraged by a recent ruling of Judge Crail that her old divorce suit is moth-eaten. She filed a new one yesterday, through her attorney, C. Elliott Miller. Mrs. Piatte's first suit had been on file for more than six years, and because it was so ancient Judge Crail dismissed it when it came up for trial a few days ago. Mrs. Piatte, in her second suit, charges her husband with non-support and desertion.

INVITATION TO PERSHING.

Gen. John J. Pershing yesterday was invited to attend the annual banquet of the Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association on January 26, in a telegram sent to him at Lincoln, Neb. The directors of the association are hopeful that the commander of the A.E.F. will wire his acceptance. According to present schedule, he will be in Los Angeles on the day of the annual dinner. The telegram sent was as follows:

"The Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association of Los Angeles, comprising the commercial, industrial and financial interests of this city, will hold its annual banquet on January 26 at 6 o'clock at the Alexandria Hotel. We respectfully and urgently extend to you an invitation to be our honored guest on that occasion as we desire to show you our admiration and gratitude for all you have done for our country and our flag during the late war.

"We sincerely hope that we may have the honor of your presence and give us an opportunity to pay a tribute worthy of you as a citizen and soldier. Your acceptance will not interfere with your scheduled departure for Camp Kearny at midnight.

"By orders of the board of directors,

"F. J. ZEEHANDELAAR,
"Secretary."

Seymour Swarts is chairman of the Banquet Committee of the association, and the other members are G. A. Brock, W. Ross Campbell, W. E. Chamberlain, A. J. Goldwater, Ralph C. Hamlin, G. W. Lichtenberger, E. W. Murphy, Charles H. Toll and G. H. Turnesa.

From the number of reservations already received Secretary Zeehandelaar predicts that the attendance at the banquet will be the largest in the history of the association.

AND STILL GUESSES COME.

By Thousands Daily Now, for the Census Contest is Nearly Over.

Still they keep right on guessing in The Times census contest.

Thousands of coupons, each one containing some individual's prophecy on the population of Los Angeles, are pouring into The Times office every day—each one a guess and an opportunity.

There's still a chance for everyone. Your guess may be better than the next fellow's. Your figures may come nearer the official total which will be made public by the government some time next June.

All you do is guess. Of course, a little thinking, a little faith, and a little mathematics will help. Los Angeles keeps on growing.

Your opportunity to venture an advance guess, and your chance to get nearer to the correct figure than anyone else, is worth to you just $50. The Times will pay three cash prizes—$50, for the first, $25 for the second, and $10 for the third.

Yesterday was a busy day for the census editor. Guesses came from all directions, with all sorts of figures. They ranged from the half-million mark to far beyond the million.

The only thing to remember now is that the contest closes December 31 at midnight. Your guess must be in the Census Editor's hands not later than 12 o'clock next Wednesday night. Los Angeles, The Times and Uncle Sam will do the rest.

To help the Census Editor it is asked that all coupons be neatly trimmed around the border before they are sent in, and that all contrants carefully observe the rules of the contest.

Guesses will be accepted from everybody except employees of The Times and persons connected with the taking of the census.

All guesses must be submitted on the coupon form printed herewith, and which will appear in The Times every day until January 1.

The form must be filled out in ink; the contestant's name and address must be written legibly; the figure representing the population total must not be scratched, erased or altered.

No contestant will be allowed more than one guess.

Contest blanks, when filled out, are to be mailed to the Census Contest Editor of The Times, First street and Broadway, Los Angeles, Cal.

Each completed blank, when received, will be filed and kept under lock and key until the census figures are officially announced, next June. Names of the contest winners will be published, and the prizes paid at that time.

SMOOTH ONES BUSY.

Sell Whisky Receipts to Gullible; New Ruling on Wine.

Smooth strangers are going about, offering to sell whisky at $2 a gallon, and offer government bonded warehouse certificates on that basis, according to reports received yesterday by Internal Revenue Collector Carter.

They are receipts for distilled liquor, all right, but the purchaser, the collector points out, will not be allowed to withdraw any of it from bond, except for the purposes of exportation, which just now is not a profitable business.

Collector Carter announced a ruling yesterday from the authorities at Washington that wine made before May 1, 1919, may be withdrawn from bond for personal use by the manufacturer and his family.

It is emphasized that while the order gives the owner latitude hitherto denied, no sales of the beverage will be permitted. There is no apparent ban on the maker giving wine to his friends, but the reported practice of giving something in return for the "gift" of a new gallon of wine will bring action on the part of the local Federal authorities, Mr. Carter declares.

TO SWELL RECEIPTS.

To swell the gross receipts derived from the annual ball of the Los Angeles Police Relief Association at Shrine Auditorium this evening, Fred H. Solomon, who was asked by Chief of Police Home to be floor director, has announced that he will donate 10 per cent. of the admissions taken in tonight at the penny dance de luxe. The money raised goes to take care of widows and orphans of Los Angeles police officers who are killed or injured while in the city service.

CENSUS CONTEST ESTIMATE.

Census Contest Editor,
The Times,
Los Angeles, Cal.

I estimate the 1920 United States census count will show the population of the city of Los Angeles to be .....

(Name in full) .....

(Street address) .....

(City and State) .....

REFUSES NEW TRIAL.

Judge Holds Company's Admission Justifies Damage Verdict.

Holding if the contention of the Pacific Electric was true that Richard Lammers was drunk when he was put off a car at Covina Junction, the company was liable for the injuries he sustained later in the night when he was found with a leg cut off, Judge Hewitt yesterday denied the corporation a motion for a new trial. Mr. Lammers was awarded $2500 damages by a jury in his suit for $20,000 for the loss of his leg.

The evidence showed that he was put off a car for failing to pay his fare. Mr. Lammers was later found on the tracks with his leg cut off.

HIGH-PRICE FIGHTER LEAVES FOR SAN DIEGO.

Having put into operation the machinery that he hopes will materially assist in a reduction of the high cost of living in Los Angeles, by the organization of a fair-price commission, J. H. Atwood, assistant to the Attorney-General, left yesterday for San Diego, where he proposes organizing a similar body. The Imperial Valley fair-price commission, recently organized by U. S. Attorney O'Connor, will co-operate with the new San Diego organization.

DRY SKELETON'S BONES RATTLED.

Illicit Romance of Senator New of Indiana Told.

Had Two Sons by Mrs. Burger, Latter's Sister Says.

Woolwine's Toothache Defers Murder Trial to Monday.

The skeleton in the closet of U. S. Senator Harry S. New, of Indiana, rattled its long-dried bones in Judge Craig's court yesterday in the trial of Harry S. New, Jr., for the murder of his sweetheart, Freda Lesser. An illicit romance of which the defendant was the ill-starred fruit was described briefly and hastily in a few lines from the deposition of Miss Martha Scudder, of Indianapolis, sister of Mrs. Lillie M. Burger, the mother of New, junior.

Miss Scudder said that as the result of "the unfortunate affair" between Mrs. Burger and Senator New, two children were born—Harry Stuart New, Jr., and Stuart [illegible], who was given as his first name the middle name of the Senator. Miss Scudder said that Stuart died at the age of 2 as the result of an accident in the kitchen of his mother's home.

Miss Scudder also testified that her father and Harry New's grandfather, Edward Scudder, died in the Indiana Insane Asylum, and that on one occasion before he was taken there when his favorite horse was killed in a fire, Edward Scudder put his arms around the neck of the horse and prayed for the animal to come to life.

With the completion of the reading of the deposition of Martha Scudder it is expected that most of the testimony regarding the parentage of the defendant will have been introduced as it was definitely announced that Mrs. Burger, New's mother, will not take the stand and be asked to tell the story of her relations with Senator New.

Attorney Davis during the morning session asked Deputy District Attorney Keyes, "Will the State stipulate that the defendant is the illegitimate son of Mrs. Burger? By making this stipulation it will avoid any painful scenes."

Mr. Keyes said that while the State would not stipulate it, the point seemed to have been proved. This statement made unnecessary the calling of Mrs. Burger and submitting her to a cross-examination which would be painful to her and at the same time add nothing to the array of testimony which the defense has introduced regarding New's state of mind over his birth.

Senator New was, however, referred to at some length in the testimony introduced by deposition of Attorney Charles F. Williams of Indianapolis, who told of knowing Harry New for twenty-five years intimately.

ALWAYS IN TROUBLE.

Mr. Williams is a law partner of

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FIRES AT BANKER IN HOME.

Young Laborer's Bullet Misses Capitalist and Daughter; Assailant Caught.

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SANTA BARBARA, Dec. 26.—An attempt to assassinate Charles A. Edwards, president of the Santa Barbara County National Bank, at his home here, was made tonight by a man who gives his name as George Bryant, a laborer, 23 years old. Bryant, who is also known as Brent, is charged with having shot at Mr. Edwards while the latter was seated in his home with his family. The bullet, passing through an open doorway, missed the banker and his daughter, Miss Marian Edwards, by a narrow margin and buried itself in the wall of the library.

Bryant fled and was overtaken and arrested by Chief of Police Desgrandchamp and Police Detective Marquette. The officers encountered Bryant, soon after the shooting, on Hollister avenue.

Chief Desgranchamp states that the prisoner admits he made the attack on the banker and expresses regret that his shot went wild. He has been in town about two months. Little is known of his antecedents.

Mr. Edwards later refused to make any statement concerning the shooting, merely admitting that the attack had been made.

Employees of the bank state that Bryant has been hanging about the place lately, but that his hatred of the president has not arisen from any personal affront or business deal, as none of the bank's officers or employees has ever even so much as spoken to the man. However, Bryant was in town a year ago and at that time Mr. Edwards had him arrested on a charge of disturbing the peace.

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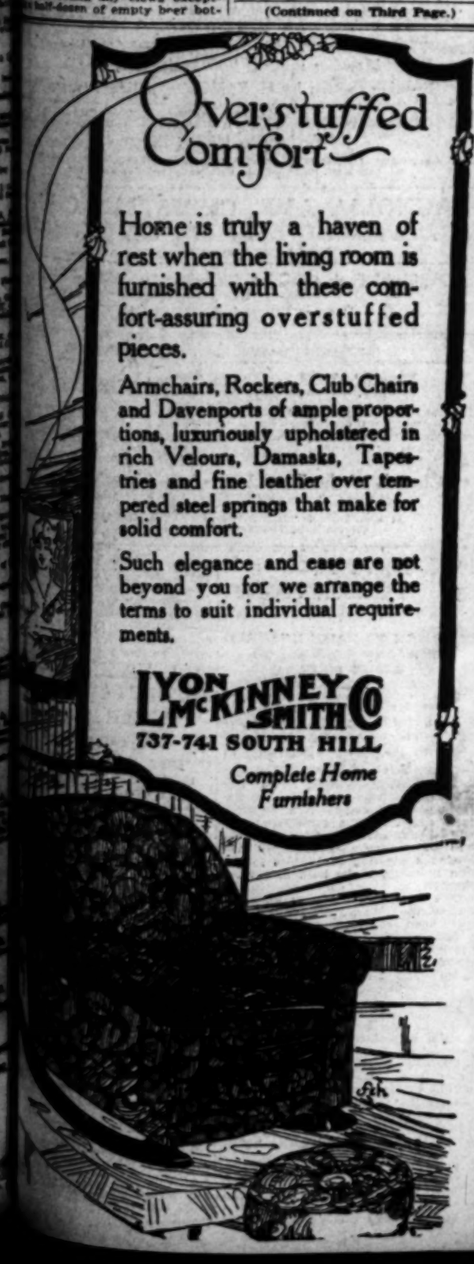

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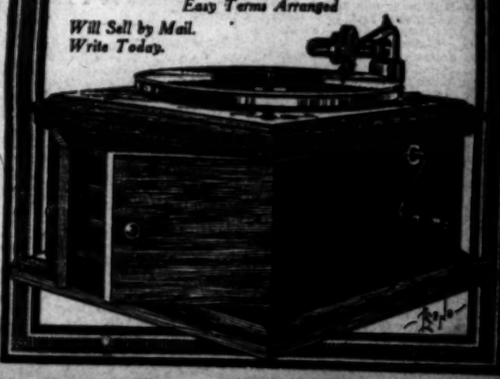

Go To Church Sunday

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE.

Christian Science

Services are held in the following Christian Science Churches:
First Church—1924 S. Alvarado St., Sunday, 11 AM. 8 PM; Wednesday, 8 PM.
Second Church—349 W. Adams St., Sunday, 11 AM, 8 PM; Wednesday, 8 PM.
Third Church—234 S. Hope St., Sunday 11 AM, 8 PM; Wednesday, 7:30 PM.
Fourth Church—131 Avenue 57, Sunday, 11 AM, Wednesday, 8 PM.
Fifth Church—7107 Hollywood Blvd., Sunday, 11 AM, 8 PM; Wednesday, 8 PM.
Sixth Church—E. 49th & Wadsworth, Sun., 11 AM., 8 PM; Wednesday, 8 PM.
Seventh Church—314 7th St., San Pedro, Sunday, 11 AM, 8 PM; Wednesday, 8 PM.
Eighth Church—848 West 161st St., Gardena, Sun., 11 AM; Wednesday, 7:45 PM.
Ninth Church—430 S. New Hampshire, Sunday, 11 AM; Wednesday, 8 PM.
Tenth Church—526 W. 49th St., Sunday, 11 AM; Wednesday, 8 PM.
Eleventh Church—1954 E. First St., Sunday, 11 AM; Wednesday, 8 PM.
Society, Culver City—7120 McMillan St., Sunday, 11 AM; Wednesday, 8 PM.
Society, Van Nuys—313 Friar St; Sunday, 11 AM; Wednesday, 8 PM.
Reading Rooms, Down Town—Rm. 703, 354 S. Spring St.; Rm. 215, 210 W. 7th.

Free Lectures on Christian Science

Professor Hermann S. Hering, C.S.B., of Concord, New Hampshire, member of the Board of Lectureship of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Massachusetts, will lecture in Shrine Auditorium, 655 West Jefferson Street, Sunday afternoon, December 28, at 3 o'clock.

NO TICKETS ARE REQUIRED.

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Sunday 11 a.m. and 8 p.m.; Monday, 8 p.m.; Tuesday, 8 p.m.; Wednesday, 8:15 p.m. and Thursday, New Year's Day, 11 a.m.
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11 a.m.—Devotional Service. Everyone invited.
3 p.m.—Lecture, "Spiritual Healing."
8 p.m.—Lecture, "Life Understood."

Mr. Rawson will also be in
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11 noon, Healing Meeting. 3 p.m., Lecture, "Methods of Healing." 8 p.m., Lecture, "Life Understood."

Doors open 45 minutes before hour of meetings. No one admitted after the lecture begins. For information regarding appointments or treatments for Mr. Rawson, address MISS GRACE WILSON, Lecture Organizer, 905 Broch-Shops, 321 West Seventh Street. Phone 62603.

World-Wide, Prohibition

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7:15 p.m.—MOVING PICTURES of Wonderful West "SUNDOWN."

@ 7:30 p.m.—HALLELUIAH CHORUS and fine musical program. New Year's Sermon: "THE HAPPY AND THE UNHAPPY—HOW WE MAY ALL BE HAPPY," with a prelude on Dance Halls, Gambling Joints and Profiteering in Room Rents.

At the FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH, 727 South Flower Street, **Dr. Francis** will preach at both morning and evening services. Subjects: 11 a.m., **"The Tree That Was in the Way."** 7:30 p.m., **"How a Christian Should Close the Year."** Bible School, 9:30. B. Y. P. U., 6:15. A Welcome For All.

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Lyceum for Children and Adults—10:00 a.m. (MARGARET C. LA GRANGE—Pastor) — Assembly Room 540
Noon Meetings—Tues., Wed., and Friday, 12 to 1. — Merchants National Bank Building
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Sunday, 2 p.m., Children's Lyceum. 2:30, Message service by the Pastor. Healing by Rev L. A. Wilson and others. Circles, Mrs. Wenige, Mrs. Huddleson. REV. LAURA G. FIXEN, Associate Pastor, and an orator of international reputation, will lecture at 7:30 on "DO THE DEAD REALLY RETURN AND CAN THEY COMMUNICATE?" Mrs. Fixen will also explain how you can talk yourself to your dead friends. Whether you laugh or listen to Spiritualism, cheer or condemn, you should hear this remarkable lecture. Rev. Inez Wagner will follow with Spirit Messages. Music, Prof. Henry Yetter. Tuesday, 2:30, Message Service conducted by Mrs. Sarah Wenige. Thursday, 7:30 and 7:30 p.m., regular message service. Symphony Hall, 321 S. Hill St. All invited.

SPIRITUALIST CHURCH-REVELATION, 240 S. HILL ST.
1:15, Healing Service, W. Q. Sayers, Leader, assisted by Emma Killough and others. 2:30, Message Service, Minnie Sayers. 4:00, Circles. 7:30, Lecture by Dr. B. F. Austin (Editor Reason.) Messages, Minnie Sayers. Friday, 2:30, Lecture and Messages, Minnie Sayers. 4:00, Circles. Vocalist, Margaret Tait.

SUNSHINE SPIRITUALIST CHURCH, Top Floor Brack-Shops, 7th and Grand. Sunday meetings, Rev. Mary Miller, Pastor. Jessie Mapes, Associate. 1:30, Healings. 2:30, Lecture, Dr. Lacey, Soc. Calif. 7:45, Lecture, DR. ADA PATTERSON, a prominent speaker. Messages, 2:30 and 7:45, Mrs. Mattingham, Jessie Mapes, Alice Gardner and Mrs. Smith. Circle, 4 o'clock; Bazaar, Thursday afternoon and evening. All welcome.

UNIVERSALIST.

First Universalist Church, 1373 So. Alvarado St., Cor. Hoover St.

(Take Pico car to Alvarado or West 16th car to Hoover.)
REV. C. ELLWOOD NASH, D. D., Pastor.
Sunday Services: Sunday-school at 9:45 a.m. Sermon at 11 a.m. Subject, "A NEW WORLD FOR A NEW YEAR." Young People's Meeting at 6:30 p.m. Ear phones in pews of this church for the deaf.

CONGREGATIONAL.

First Congregational Church
841 South Hope Street.

Dr. Carl S. Patton, Pastor, will preach.
11:00 a.m.—"The Meaning of Christmas."
7:45 p.m.—Cantata, "The First Christmas"
The Cantata will be given by the quartette and chorus with accompaniment on the organ, piano, string quartette and harp. The Cantata will be under the direction of Mrs. Anna Rusena Sprotte.

PLYMOUTH
THE HOME CHURCH
West Twenty-first and Lewiston Ave. University or Washington cars.

Rev. George A. Andrews, D.D., Pastor.

11 A.M.
"What I Have Written"
7:30 P.M.
Story: "His Other Sheep"
Chap. 5 Defenders of the Faith.

Wednesday, 7:30—Service for the Last Day of Old Year
Come and Make the Home Church Your Church Home

EPISCOPAL.

ST. JOHN'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH
Corner Figueroa and West Adams Street.
REV. GEORGE DAVIDSON, D.D., Rector.

SERVICES:
7:30 a.m.—Holy Communion.
9:30 a.m.—Sunday-school and Bible Classes.
11:00 a.m.—Morning Service and Sermon. Morning Sermon by the Rector: "A LITTLE CHILD SHALL LEAD THEM."
7:30 p.m.—Evening Prayer and Cantata. Evening, Sacred Cantata, "THE STAR OF BETHLEHEM."
Take Grand ave. car to West Adams street, then walk one block west. Or University car to Chester Place, walk through Chester Place, then one block east.
STRANGERS CORDIALLY WELCOME.

St. Matthias

W. Washington and Normandie.
Holy Communion, 7:30; High Mass, 11 a.m.; Vespers, 7 p.m.; Mass, daily, 7 a.m. Also Thursdays, 9:15 a.m.

METHODIST.

Florence Moss, Pianist.

Beautiful Christmas Cantata
By Trinity Quartet and Great Chorus Choir
Sunday, 7:30 p.m.—Twelfth & Flower

THOS. TAYLOR DRILL, Director.
PROF. ARTHUR BLAKELEY, Pianist.

SOLOISTS:
May A. Trude, Soprano. Alma K. Moss, Contralto.
Wm. A. Steffen, Tenor. J. Ray Wheatley, Bass.
Norman Shaw, Violin. J. Paul Elliott, Cornet.

Dr. Selecman's subject, 11 a.m., "PEACE AND GOOD WILL"
Capacity 1500—ALL SEATS FREE—Welcome!

Lake Ave. M. E. Church

PASADENA.
Rev. W. E. Tilroe, D.D.
Sunday, Dec. 28, 1919. Morning Sermon: "RELIGION CONVENIENT." Evening Sermon: "SOME NEW THINGS."

NAZARENE

FIRST CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
Sixth and Wall Streets

DR. A. O. HENRICKS, Pastor. PROF. J. E. MOORE, Choir Director.

Greatest Revival Church in the City. Live music and singing. 1500 free seats. Strangers made welcome.

DR. J. W. GOODWIN, General Superintendent, will preach morning and evening. Great People's Meeting at 2:30 p.m.

Livest Young People's Meeting in the city at 6:00 p.m.
Great Watch-Night Service, New Year's Eve.

UNITARIAN

FIRST UNITARIAN CHURCH

925 S. Flower St. E. Stanton Hodgin, Minister. Services, 11 a.m.

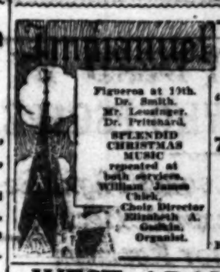
SUBJECT:
A TRIAL BALANCE FOR THE YEAR 1919

Special Music by Quartet Choir. Sunday-school at 10 o'clock. Classes for all ages. Dr. Bullard will speak to the Adult Class on "The Poetry of the Bible."

CHURCH OF THE PEOPLE

"Burning Up Heaven and Putting Out the Fires of Hell"
REYNOLD E. BLIGHT
11 a.m., Church of the People, Blanchard Hall, 233 S. Broadway. Prelude: "The Times'" Editorial on "The Social Revolution." Musical program.

PRESBYTERIAN.



Presbyterian Church
11:00 A.M.—Dr. Smith: "The Program for a Permanent Christmas"
7:30 P.M.—"Law Defiance and Law Enforcement in Los Angeles"
Commissioner Burge, Dr. Smith, Chief of Police Home.
Resolutions presented for adoption by Congress.

WEST ADAMS PRESBYTERIAN
DR. W. H. FISHBURN, Pastor.
West Adams Street, Half Block West Vermont Avenue.
Morning—"When the Light Comes Through the East Window"
Evening—"GOLDEN OPPORTUNITIES."
Fine Music—Quartet and Chorus Choir.
Old Fashioned Hymns. Fine Choir.

"The Friendly Church" Westlake Presbyterian
Grand View St., south of Ninth. (West 9th Car.)
DR. G. A. BRIEGLEB, Minister.
11 a.m., "OUR KINSMAN REDEEMER." 7:30 p.m., "THINK ON THESE THINGS." Special music by Westlake's Quartet. The Acoustikon, which enables the hard of hearing to hear, is installed at Westlake Church. Sittings Free.

KNOX PRESBYTERIAN
Figueroa at Forty-third.
LESLIE ERGUS BOYD, Minister
11 a.m.
Sermon—"Forward March"
Solo—Miss Eva Sullivan.
7:45 p.m.
Henry Van Dyke's story, "The First Christmas Tree" will be read. Anthem, the Choir.

3RD PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
REV. HERBERT H. PISHER, Pastor.
11 o'clock: "ASSURANCE FOR THE NEW YEAR."
7:30 p.m.—"THE REAL REASON FOR CHRIST'S FIRST COMING."
Charlotte Elizabeth Wand will sing and play upon the harp at the evening service. The Quartette will sing. Mrs. Arnold, Soprano; Mrs. Overbeck, Contralto; Mr. Franks, Tenor; Mr. Fischer, Bass.

FIRST UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
The Brick Church at Ninth and Figueroa Sts.
Edwin C. Little, Pastor.
11 a.m., "A REFORM LED BY CHRIST AND HIS CHURCH," by the Pastor. 7:30 p.m., "HOW MUCH ARE YOU WORTH?" by the Pastor. Duplex envelopes. R. Silvey at 7:15 p.m. Fine singing by a fine choir! Question Box. Questions of interest will be answered. Take W. Washington, Maple Avenue or Ninth car.

PSYCHOLOGY

"MODERN AND ANCIENT PSYCHIC PHENOMENA"

A. A. Lindsay, M. D. Author-Lecturer.

Hotel Angelus Public Hall Sun. 8 p.m.
"Modern Suggestion and Its Antecedents"

Tuesday, 8 p.m. Seats free both lectures. Dr. Lindsay, as specialist in subjects of mind, will interest you in discussing why a million Gods' Words were sold. Also why scientific suggestion is direct.

THE SOCIETY OF THE NEW SCHOOL OF CHRISTIAN OR APPLIED PSYCHOLOGY

Holds its regular services in its STUDIO, 822 Grosse Building, Sixth and Broadway, open to the public, every Sunday, 11 a.m., and every Thursday, 8 p.m. The services on its Chapels and speaker for the next three months will be WILLIAM CRANSE PRICE, of international repute as Orator, Author, Occultist, Lecturer and Teacher, and one of the ablest authorities on Psychology, Mysticism and Occult Science on the American platform. His theme is a philosophy of Christian philosophy and Psychology as related to Christian Science, how to attain efficiency, health, happiness and longevity, harmony with natural law and common-sense.

CHRISTIAN.

The White Temple (South Park Christian)
South Park Av. and 42nd St. (San Pedro st. or Vernon Av. car.)
Bruce Brown, Pastor. Residence, 238 E. 47th St. Phone S. 6
Morning subject, "By Death We Live."
Evening sermon by H. E. Wilhite, national evangelist.

The Broadway Christian Church, 223 N. Broadway
Arthur W. Higby, Pastor.
10:45 a.m., "Who Are the Wise Men?" 7:45 p.m., "Immanuel." Noted quartet. 9:30 a.m., Bible School. 6:15 p.m., Christian Endeavor.

MAGNOLIA AVE. CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Corner Magnolia and W. 23th St. Take W. Adams, Vermont and Georgia or Grand cars. Preaching services at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Special music by quartet.
REV. W. H. BAGBY, Supply Pastor.

Highland Park Christian Church, 5800 Monte Vista St.
ALDEN LEE HILL, Pastor.
11 a.m.—"MEMORY, HOPE AND ACTION."
7:30 p.m.—"GOING, GOING, GONE."

INTERNATIONAL BIBLE STUDENTS' ASS'N.

Daniel Toole of Pittsburgh, Pa.

National Lecturer of the I. B. S. A., will speak at Gamut Club Auditorium, 336 W. Hope St., Sunday, 3 p.m. Admission free. No collection.

SWEDENBORGIAN

Church of the New Jerusalem (Swedenborgian)
1200 South Figueroa Street. Rev. John E. Hunter, Minister.
10 a.m., Sunday-school.
11 a.m., Subject, "THE HOUSE SWEPT AND GARNISHED."
West Adams, Vineyard and West Washington Cars.

CHURCH IN NEW HOME.

Arlington Heights Methodists Rejoice; Sermon Topics Tomorrow.

Members of the Arlington Heights Methodist Church, who for the last five years have been holding services in a small building at Fifth avenue and Washington street, tomorrow will occupy their new home, built on the same lot, at a cost of approximately $40,000, according to announcement made yesterday by Rev. E. C. Cory, pastor of the church. The new church consists of two buildings, one being 60x60 feet in dimension and two stories high, the other being a two-story structure, 24x50 feet.

"The entire property will constitute a splendid community center and will place the Arlington Heights church among the more influential churches of Los Angeles," said Mr. Cory. "The congregation is entering its new home free from debt, this fact being due, in no small measure, to J. M. Nesland, who donated $10,000 toward the erection and maintenance of the new edifice.

"The Arlington Heights Methodist Church, in the centenary movement, contributed more money, per capita, than any other church in the conference."

CHIEF HOME ASSISTS PASTOR.
IMMANUEL PRESBYTERIAN.

Promising to reveal some sensational facts in regard to law-breaking in Los Angeles, Dr. Herbert Booth Smith, president of the Ministerial Association and chairman of the committee appointed to co-operate with the police authorities for law enforcement in Los Angeles, will fire the opening gun of the anti-vice crusade in a sermon at Immanuel Presbyterian Church tomorrow evening. The congregation will also be addressed by Chief of Police Home and Police Commissioner Burge. The subject of law enforcement will be taken up by many other local ministers on January 18. Tomorrow morning Dr. Smith will preach on "The Programme for a Permanent Christmas."

THE STATE AND THE CHILD.
ST. PAUL'S PRO-CATHEDRAL.

Is the plan of Plato in regard to the raising of children superior to that of modern democracy, under which the care and education of children are delegated to the parents? Should the State take the child from its parents and be responsible for its tuition? What is the cause that produces the spoiled child and what method should be adopted to make boys and girls both unselfish and self-reliant? These are some of the questions to be discussed at St. Paul's Pro-Cathedral tomorrow morning by Dean William MacCormack, in his sermon on "Spoiled Children," a discourse appropriate to the festival of "The Holy Innocents." In the evening Rev. David Todd Gilmor will preach on "The Voice from the Manger" and the choir will render their annual Christmas choral service.

HOW TO BE HAPPY."
TEMPLE BAPTIST CHURCH.

Is it possible to keep the "Christmas spirit" in the heart all the year round? Dr. J. Whitcomb Brougher, pastor of Temple Baptist Church, answers in the affirmative, and in his sermon tomorrow night he will discuss "The Happy and the Unhappy" and will give the recipe for making and the method for retaining happiness. In his morning discourse Dr. Brougher will discuss the question, "How Can We Know the Will of God?" At the morning service the choir will repeat the most brilliant parts of the cantata, "The Story of Bethlehem," and in the evening Dr. Ray Hastings will render special Christmas music on the organ and chimes. Dr. O. P. Gifford will be the principal speaker at the Watch Night services next Wednesday evening.

DR. D. M. GANDIER.
UNITED PRESBYTERIAN.

How much are you worth—not in money, but in character and usefulness in the world? This is the subject to be treated in a sermon tomorrow evening at the First United Presbyterian Church by Rev. Edwin C. Little, who will also discuss the following questions: "Does the Bible Teach that the World Was Created in Six Days of Twenty-four Hours Each? Since the Laws of Nature Are Fixed, Is It any Use to Pray to God to Change Things?" At the morning services an address will be made by Dr. D. M. Gandier, State secretary of the Anti-Saloon League, who recently returned from a tour of Japan, Korea and China.

DR. DIXON TO GO EAST.
CHURCH OF THE OPEN DOOR.

Dr. A. C. Dixon will conclude his series of sermons on "The Incarnation of Jesus Christ" at the Church of the Open Door tomorrow, preaching in the morning on "The Cross of Christ, the Glory of the Incarnation," and in the evening on "The Coming of Christ, the Consummation of the Incarnation." This will be Dr. Dixon's last appearance in Los Angeles for several months, as he will leave this city the first of the year for a ministerial engagement in the east. Next Wednesday evening Watch Night services will be conducted at the church and a musical programme will be rendered from 8:30 to 9:30 o'clock, following which brief addresses on religious topics will be made by Dr. French E. Oliver, Rev. W. P. Nicholson and others.

"THE FIRST CHRISTMAS."
FIRST CONGREGATIONAL.

"The First Christmas," a cantata, the music for which was written by C. W. Coombs, will be rendered at the First Congregational Church tomorrow night by the quartette and chorus choir, with accompaniment on the organ, piano, harp and other instruments. The cantata will be directed by Mrs. Anna Rusena Sprotte, and among the soloists will be Mrs. Edith Sage MacDonald, Mrs. Sprotte and Messrs. Sheldon Balinger and Henry P. Page. Special Christmas exercises will also be held in the morning and Dr. Carl S. Patton will preach on "The Meaning of Christmas."

"AMERICA MOST SPIRITUAL."
RAWSON COMES TO MASON.

That the spiritual development of the people of the United States, in the last few years, has exceeded that of any other nation in the world is the opinion of Frederick L. Rawson, who will arrive in Los Angeles next week for the purpose of conducting here a series of "Divine Healing" meetings. Mr. Rawson will begin his work in Los Angeles with three meetings at the Mason Opera House on Sunday, January 4, following which he will give three lectures daily at Choral Hall. During these meetings Mr. Rawson will not only lecture on the subject, "Divine Healing," but he has promised also to demonstrate the power of the spirit of truth over physical and mental disease.

"BALANCING MORAL ACCOUNTS"
FIRST UNITARIAN CHURCH.

"A Trial Balance for the Year 1919" will be the subject of Rev. E. Stanton Hodgin's sermon at the First Unitarian Church tomorrow morning, in which he will endeavor to strike a balance between the moral debits and credits for the year that is just passing. Special music will be furnished by the quartette choir, of which Mrs. Ada Marsh Chick is director and organist. Dr. Frank Bullard will speak to the adult class at 10 o'clock on "The Poetry of the Bible."

CHURCH NOTES.

The following are announcements of subjects to be treated in sermons by Los Angeles ministers tomorrow:

"What Will You Allow the New Year to Bring to You?" is the topic of a discourse by Mrs. LaBlonge Whitcomb at the First Emerson New Thought Church, Assembly Room of the Hotel Alexandria, 11 a.m. Sunday-school of the church meets at the same hour, Lyceum at 10 a.m. Noon meetings will be held next Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday at the church, Imperial Room, Merchants' National Bank Building.

"Turning Back Over Leaf." Dr. Sigmund Bacht, 10:30 o'clock this morning at Temple Emanu-El.

"Last Consecration of the Vanishing Year." Dr. W. G. Mills, St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, 11 a.m. morning. Evening subject, "Forgetting the Things that are Behind."

"Religion Convenient." Rev. W. E. Tilroe, D. D., Lake Avenue M. E. Church, Pasadena, tomorrow morning.

"An Old Year Meditation." Rev. Wilbur Martin, D. D., First Methodist Episcopal Church of Hollywood, 11 a.m. Subject for evening, "Being There."

Rev. John McAllister, D. D., will be in charge of services at the First Presbyterian Church of Hollywood tomorrow morning. In the evening Rev. Marvin P. Mathes, D. D., will preach on "The Book of Life."

"Memory, Hope and Action." Rev. Alden Lee Hill, Highland Park Christian Church, 11 a.m. Subject for evening, "Going, Going, Gone." Watch meeting Wednesday evening.

"The Worthy Communicant." Rev. William Rhinelander Stewart, rector of Trinity Episcopal Church, will preach at the 11 o'clock service tomorrow morning and evening at Saint Luke's Episcopal Church, Thirteenth and Thirteenth Place, Pasadena.

"What Have You Written." Dr. George A. Andrews, Plymouth Congregational Church, tomorrow morning. Subject for evening, "Defenders of the Faith." Appropriate New Year services will be held.

"The Auld Year." Rev. W. F. Richardson, tomorrow morning at the Hollywood Christian Church. Evening subject, "Does Death Close the Gates of Opportunity?" Rev. Mary Ward Wetherill will preach at the Vermont Avenue Methodist Episcopal Church tomorrow morning.

"What Shall God Wrought?" Rev. J. R. Brink, tomorrow morning at St. Paul's Lutheran Church. Similar church service in the evening. The annual congregational meeting will be held next Wednesday evening, at which the principal speaker will be Rev. Herbert H. Fisher.

"Does the Christian Religion Furnish the Three Essentials of Life?" Rev. L. Grant Nelson, tomorrow morning at the Garfield Avenue Baptist Church. Evening subject, "The Wisdom of Facts and the Folly of Dogma."

"The Coming Year." Rev. Lewis Tinsley, tomorrow morning at Bethany Presbyterian Church. Evening subject, "The Holy Spirit."

Under direction of Clara Shumann Auditorium, the singers of Calvary Presbyterian Church, Rev. Clarence Reynolds, pastor, will render the Christmas Cantata, "The Story of Bethlehem," tomorrow evening.

"The Tree That Was in the Way." Dr. Francis E. Brown, tomorrow morning at the First Baptist Church. Evening subject, "How a Christian Should Close the Year." The Bible School will meet at 9:30 a.m. Christian Endeavor at 6:15 p.m. Prayer-meeting Wednesday evening, January 7, instead of Prayer with five meetings.

"Christian Science." Rev. Thomas Preston, Second Church and the Normandie Avenue Methodist Church, tomorrow morning. Subject for evening, "Christian Science and Modern Science of Service Rendered." Special music tomorrow evening at the Normandie Avenue Methodist Episcopal Church.

Daniel Toole, national lecturer of the International Bible Students' Association, will deliver an address in the Gamut Club Auditorium, tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock before the members of the local branch of the association.

"The Star of Bethlehem." A Christmas cantata by Harker, will be given by the choir of St. John's Church, West Adams and Florence streets, at 7:30 p.m. tomorrow.

"Try Kingdom Enforcement," by Dr. G. A. Briegleb, tomorrow morning at the Westlake Presbyterian Church. He will preach in the evening on "Think of These Things."

PLAN CHURCH FOR FILMDOM PEOPLE.

CAMPAIGN TO RAISE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS TO BEGIN SOON.

Plans for raising the $100,000 fund needed to erect the motion-picture people's church have been completed by Rev. Neal Dodd, rector of the Church of St. Mary of the Angels in East Hollywood, who has been the unofficial chaplain of the motion-picture colony here for more than a year. The fund campaign will begin early in January, and will be inaugurated probably following a meeting of leaders in the film industry, to be held in a local theater.

The studios of the city have indorsed the plan. Funds already have been assured, so that the campaign will be largely a matter of receiving subscriptions that the members of the film colony have promised. All the money for the church is to come from motion-picture folks. The fund is expected to be completed in a few weeks, and work on the building of the new church will start as soon as a site is obtained and plans completed.

Carleton M. Winslow has drawn preliminary plans for the church building in the midst of the motion-picture industry. They include a community center, gymnasium, pool and billiard room, and other features, as well as the church building.

"The church is to be open to persons of every faith and those who belong to no particular denomination.

"Such a church is a distinct benefit, not only to the industry but to the entire community," Dr. Keenan said yesterday. "It deserves a whole-hearted response. The breath of spirit, its aim, its purpose all serve to make it a community asset, a solution of what is need, an institution that we may all be proud."

BOUGHT LAVISHLY WITH BAD CHECKS

COMMIT MAN WHEN THEY HAVE CUT DASH BY USING WORTHLESS PAPER.

When J. W. McVey, who is said to have used thirty checks started out to get married, he did not hesitate to sign according to testimony of Chief Hayes in Justice Brentwood's court today. McVey was held to answer on four counts of issuing bad checks. Officers say he issued checking amounted over 100 mill Los Angeles.

Deputy District Attorney introduced testimony to show that Vey used a blank check to pay the Independent Ice and Storage Company for ice with which he bought fifty cents of meat, getting $49.50 change, bought a suit of clothes at Clark's, a pair of shoes at Young Shoe Company and a hat from Logan. Officers said.

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Try Chamberlain's Tablets for indigestion. They are prompt and most agreeable in effect. For only cost a quarter. Advertisement.

SATURDAY MORNING

SAYS NEW LAW PLEASES INDIA.

Spokesman from Native Editor for Change in Government.

India Calls it Long Step to Self-Determination.

Asked British Parliament in Completing Measure.

Explaining the new law that has just been promulgated by King George for the government of India, Rahman Peston Ji Wadia, noted Indian editor, spoke last night under the auspices of the Krotona Institute of Theosophy, at Blanchard Hall. He said that while the new law is not all that is desired by his country it is a long step in the direction of self-government.

"It may be fifty years before we get self-determination," he said, "but that time in the life of a nation is short. We are on the road to success and it will not be long before India is free."

He said that for 5000 years India was the most highly civilized nation on earth, but in 1818 the order was reversed and it is now one of the most backward. He said that the laws which governed the country had been passed in good faith and with the best of intentions but that they had not worked out the way the government thought it would.

He advocated the return of the panchayat system in India. This is a village form of government, and declared that it had given more peace and quiet in the country than has been under the new form.

Mr. Wadia will remain here for a few weeks more. He is returning to his home from Washington, where he represented the British government. At the passage of the new governing law of India, he was in the House of Commons in favor of the measure. Last night's address was under the heading of "India's Message to the World."

...RTER AFTER SCALPERS

...Must be Paid for Football Game Ticket Re-sales.

...In an effort to prevent scalping of tickets for the Harvard-Oregon football match on New Year's Day at the Tournament of Roses Association of Pasadena, last night secured the assistance of Internal Revenue Collector Carter. For re-sale of any ticket the United States demands a tax of 10 per cent., and severe penalties are provided for failure to turn over this tax to the government. Collector Carter has secured two operatives to co-operate with the Tournament of Roses Association in rounding up scalpers who refuse to pay the tax. It was announced last night that the Harvard-Oregon game will be called at 2 o'clock sharp, and everybody is expected to be in his seat at that time.

...ROM CONGO GRAVE.

...Body of Los Angeles Actor will be Brought Home.

...The Belgian Ambassador has obtained permission for the Universal Manufacturing Company to bring the body and bring to America the body of William Stowell, the Los Angeles leading man and director, who was killed in a train wreck in the Belgian Congo.

...announcement was made yesterday by Tarkington Baker, general manager of the Universal, that at rest a movement on the part of Mr. Stowell's friends to collect a fund for this purpose.

...Tarkington added the following explanation:

...There is a law in the Belgian Congo which makes it illegal to export a body until it has been in the air months. Climatic conditions make this the case. Through the intercession of the Belgian Ambassador we have at last been given permission to bring Mr. Stowell's body to America."

...MORE SUN STORES.

...Local Company Takes Over Chambers Drug Interests.

...The Sun Drug Company announced yesterday that it has taken over the Chambers Drug Company stores and will as a result operate ... more stores, at Second and ... and Main and Seventh ... streets. This will increase ... chain to seventeen retail ... in this city, Long Beach and ...

...was further announced that ... will be spent in transforming ... recently-acquired establishments into regulation Sun stores.

...YMOND OPENS TODAY.

...Hosiery Redecorated on ...Elaborate Scale.

...Hotel Raymond, Pasadena, ... today for the winter season ... reservations in unprecedented ... members from all parts of the country. The largest season in the history of the hostelry is ex...

...has been extensively ..., the principal addition ... interior attractions being ... in the dining-room. ... studies of California ... from sketches by Pierre Rochard, a graduate of the Beaux-Arts, Paris, and pupil, Mrs. A. T. H. Fogg.

TAKES POISON.

...During a quarrel with her husband, W. D. Carter, 41 years of age, of 437 South Olive street, yesterday swallowed a quantity of poison. ... walking on Broadway and ... stopped in at the Receiving ... to be saved. Mrs. Carter ... refused to give her name ... reason for her act, but after ... been treated and told that ... recover notified the police ... domestic troubles caused her ... the poison.

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Jerusalem (Swedenborgian)

Rev. John R. Hunter, Minister.
Sunday-school.
ROOMS, SWEPT AND GARNISHED."
and West Washington Cars.

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st, not only to the theatrical ... but to the entire community." Frank Keenan said yesterday. "It deserves a whole-hearted generous support, for a breath of spirit, its aim, its purpose all serve to make it a ... munity asset, a solution of a ... need, an institution of which ... may all be proud."

BOUGHT LAVISHLY WITH BAD CHECKS!

COMMIT MAN WHO'S SAID TO HAVE CUT DASH BY USING WORTHLESS PAPER.

When J. W. McVey, who is said to have used thirty-two aliases, started out to get wearing apparel, he did not hesitate at expense, according to testimony of Constable Hayes in Justice Brown's court yesterday. McVey was held to answer on four counts of passing fictitious checks. Officers say he admits having passed over 100 such checks in Los Angeles.

Deputy District Attorney Hill introduced testimony to show that McVey used a blank check from the Independent Ice and Cold Storage Company for one check for $1.45, with which he bought $1.45 worth of meat, getting change. He also bought a suit at Florence & Clark's, a pair of shoes from the Young Shoe Company and a $10 hat from Logan, a hatter, the officers said.

A Good Suggestion.

Try Chamberlain's Tablets for indigestion. They are easy to take and most agreeable in effect. They only cost a quarter.—Advertisement.

ITS NEW LAW PLEASES INDIA.

...from Native Editor for ...Change in Government.

...Calls it Long Step to Self-Determination.

...British Parliament in Completing Measure.

...ducing the new law that has been promulgated by King ... for the government of In... Mohan Pustonji Wadia, not... Indian editor, spoke last night ... the auspices of the Krotona ... of Theosophy, at Blanch... Hall. He said that while the ... law is not all that is desired ... country it is a long step in ... direction of self-government. ... may be fifty years before we ... self-determination," he said, ... first time in the life of a na... a start. We are on the road ... home and it will not be long ... India is free."

He said that for 5000 years In... was the most highly civilized ... on earth, but in 1816 the ... law which governed the ... had been passed in good ... and with the best of inten... but that they had not worked ... to say the government thought ... would.

He advocated the return of the ... system in India. This is ... form of government, and ... that it had given more ... and quiet in the country than ... seen under the new form.

"I will remain here for a ... more. He is returning ... home from Washington, ... is represented the British ... At the passage of the ... law of India, he ... in the House of Commons in ... of the measure. Last night's ... is under the heading of "In... Things to the World."

ER AFTER SCALPERS

...ket to Be Paid for Football ...me Ticket Re-sales.

...effort to prevent scalping ... for the Harvard-Oregon ... on New Year's Day ... of Rooter Associa... Pasadena last night secured ... of Internal Revenue ... Collector. For re-sale of any ... to United States demands ... of 10 per cent., and se... are provided for fail... over this tax to the gov... Collector Carter has as... operatives to co-operate ... Tournament of Roses Asso... in rounding up scalpers who ... by the tax. It was an... last night that the Har... game will be called at ..., and everybody is ex... to be in his seat at that

N CONGO GRAVE.

...Los Angeles Actor will be ...Brought Home.

...Belgian Ambassador has ob... permission for the Universal ...Manufacturing Company to ... and bring to America the ... of William Stowell, the Los ... leading man and director, ... killed in a train wreck ... Belgian Congo.

...announcement was made ...day by Tarkington Baker, ...manager of the Universal, ...to put a movement on the ... Stowell's friends to col... for this purpose.

Mr. Baker added the fol... explanation:

"It is a law in the Belgian ... which makes it illegal to ex... a body until it has been in... months. Climatic condi... make this the case. Through ... efforts of the Belgian Am... we have at last been ... permission to bring Mr. ... body to America."

RE SUN STORES.

...Drug Company Takes Over ...Chambers Drug Interests.

The Drug Company an... today that it has taken ... Chambers Drug Company ... and will as a result operate ... stores, at Second and ... and Main and Seventh ... streets. This will increase ... chain to seventeen retail ... in this city, Long Beach and ...

It is further announced that ... will be spent in transform... recently-acquired establish... into regulation Sun stores.

ND OPENS TODAY.

...Hamby Redecorated on ...Moorish Scale.

...Hotel Raymond, Pasadena, ... today for the winter sea... reservations in unprece... numbers from all parts of ... The largest season in ... of the hostelry is ex...

The house has been extensively ... with the principal addition ... new attractions being ... a feature in the dining-room. ... the walls of California ... painted from sketches by ... Leonard, a graduate of ... Ecole Beaux-Arts, Paris, and ... Mrs. A. T. H. Fogg.

TRIES POISON.

...ter a quarrel with her hus... Mrs. D. Carter, 41 years of ... at the South Olive street ... Hotel, a quantity of poison ... purchased on Broadway and ... it in at the Receiving ... of the Receiving Hospital, ... she was next. Mrs. Carter ... refused to give her name ... address for her act, but after ... had been treated and told that ... stomach pump would be ... to relieve her troubles caused her ... the poison.

BANNER FRIDAY FOR DAN CUPID.

Sixty-three Couples Brave Jinx and Make License Bureau Record.

Is Friday unlucky? It may be usually, but not the Friday after Christmas. At least so the sixty-three couples who sought marriage licenses yesterday from R. S. (Cupid) Sparks at the Hall of Records seem to think. Mr. Sparks says sixty-three licenses on a Friday constitute a record, and there are none to say him nay.

Edelmira V. Lopez, 16, was the youngest bride-to-be, and Harding M. Jameson of Corona, 75, was the oldest bridegroom-to-be. Miss Lopez was licensed to marry William Valdez, 22, and Mr. Jameson to wed Rosa M. Shorb, 37.

REED ATTACKS BOTH LEAGUE AND WILSON.

ALSO DECLARES WORLD LABOR CONFERENCE PLAN WILL MEAN CLASS WAR.

Attacking the League of Nations, Senator James A. Reed of Missouri spoke yesterday at a luncheon in his honor at the Alexandria. Senator Reed criticised President Wilson in decided terms and dwelt at length on the "six-to-one" clause in the covenant. At the table with Senator Reed were former Senator Frank P. Flint and Milton K. Young.

Mr. Reed stated that the foreign powers were making an enormous land grab out of the league, and he assailed those who had permitted the Shantung seizure by Japan. The European countries promised the President the league, he stated, if they were permitted to write in the clauses which they thought should be there. This, he asserted, resulted in the ceding of land in Africa to England, France and Belgium, of Fiume to Italy and Shantung to Japan.

He also took up the labor conference at Berne, and stated that the plan worked out by labor leaders will prove disastrous to all the nations of the world. The proposed agreement is the army of one class against the governments and peoples of the world, and is unsound, he declared, saying the conference is a combination of international Socialists, Bolsheviste and laborites which advocates an economic boycott if its orders are not obeyed, and that it will bring anything but peace and prosperity upon the world.

FIX DATES TO HEAR SLACKER CHARGES.

Frank J. and Edward E. Bernal, charged with being slackers, were arraigned before U. S. Commissioner Long yesterday and their bond fixed at $2500 each. They are charged in the bill of complaint of having failed to register as required by the act of May 18, 1917, and the proclamation of President Wilson issued pursuant thereto, and known as the Selective Service Act. The preliminary examination of Edward E. Bernal was fixed for January 13, and that of his brother, Frank J. Bernal, for January 14.

RATE APPEAL WAITS.

Cotton Matter Held up While Commissioner Has Rest.

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—No action will be taken on the pending appeal from Los Angeles for a lower cotton export rate by the way of the port of Los Angeles until the return to Wdshington of Commissioner of Public Service Thelen, who went to California for the holidays. He is expected to return here December 30, and then the matter will be reopened. The near approach of the time when the railroads will be returned may, however, delay a decision until the roads involved have indicated what they propose to do under private operation.

Crew Scalded by Exploding Engine.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

DULUTH (Minn.) Dec. 26.—The engine on a Canadian Northern freight train exploded at Bartlett, Minn., today, seriously injuring the engineer and fireman, Duncan Beaton and J. L. Johnson, both of Duluth, and piling up twelve cars in the wreckage of the engine. Clarence Gilbertson, brakeman at Duluth, also was badly scalded.

DELAYS ACTION ON SUGAR.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—President Wilson is withholding action on the McNary bill extending the life of the Sugar Equalization Board until the board files a memorandum concerning the measure. It was said at the White House today that the board has requested this delay. There was no indication what the board's attitude on the bill would be.

Army Camouflage Jobs Open.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—Camouflage is among the subjects for competitive examination on January 10 for civil service commission positions. Vacancies, including one in the Army Air Service, open to both men and women, exist in positions paying from $2100 to $3600 a year.

JAPANESE VOLCANO ACTIVE.

[BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

TOKIO, Dec. 23.—(Delayed.) Mt. Aiso, an active volcano in Kyushu, has been unusually active for several weeks. Rumblings, small eruptions and showers of ashes were frequently experienced. A comparatively big eruption occurred a few days ago when masses of ashes fell over the surrounding country. Numerous cattle and horses, which ate the grass on the fields, have died through poisoning, says one report. The ashes from the volcano are said to kill all plants. Dr. Imamura, a noted seismologist, declares that the volcano has just entered a stage of greatest activity, but he does not think any disastrous eruption will occur.

LATER DANCING HOURS REFUSED.

Council Committee Votes to Change Recommendation.

Strong Opposition Develops to Further Privileges.

Mayor Against Proposal, Says Commissioner Burge.

Public dance halls were in for a bad hour yesterday when the Public Welfare Committee of the City Council considered again the proposal to lengthen the time for dance-hall operations on certain holidays until 2 a.m. The committee originally recommended the proposal to the Council; then objections were filed, and the question was referred back to the committee.

Now the committee will send in a majority report, signed by Councilmen Workman and Fleming, recommending that the request be denied, while Councilman Criswell, the third member of the committee, will submit a minority report, favoring the extension of the hours on holidays.

STRONG OPPOSITION.

This result was reached after a long hearing before the committee, in which Fred H. Solomon represented the dance halls and Police Commissioner Burge, Dr. C. C. Selecman, Dr. Robert C. Barton, Dr. S. T. Montgomery, Rev. Dan Trundle, Dr. Allen Winter and Earle M. Stigers represented the opposition, including the Church Federation, Ministerial Union and other organizations. Melville Dozier spoke on behalf of the city school system.

Police Commissioner Burge said that the commission has never by word or action suggested any amendment to the present dance-hall regulatory ordinance, and that he and the Mayor are unalterably opposed to any amendment that will lengthen the hours or place discretionary powers on this line with the Police Commission.

Mr. Solomon stated that for the past thirteen years the Police Commission has permitted the extension of the hours for dancing on New Year's eve. The men opposing told of the reports of ministers, police matrons, welfare workers and others of the troubles into which young girls have been led by associates at dance halls, and declared any extension of the hours would result in serious consequences to the young women who attend such places.

AGAINST REFERENDUM.

Mr. Solomon proposed, as a compromise, that the time be extended only for New Year's eve, for the present, and that at his own expense initiative petitions will be circulated to determine whether or not the people of Los Angeles want an extension of the hours. Dr. Barton declared that as certainly as this was undertaken counter petitions will be put into circulation, asking that the dance halls be abolished.

BOTH LOSE AGAIN.

Judge Won't Give Decree to Either Circus Man or Wife.

At the conclusion of the argument of Attorney McClain, representing Al G. Barnes, the circus man, in his divorce suit against Dollie C. Barnes, Judge Taft yesterday held to his original decision in denying a decree to either.

It was contended by Attorney Campbell that Mrs. Barnes, under the evidence, was entitled to separate maintenance. At the trial Judge Taft held that Mrs. Barnes deserted Mr. Barnes and that Mr. Barnes was guilty of misconduct with Vivian Bordeaux and Jane Hartigan and that neither was entitled to a decree. It is believed that Mrs. Barnes will appeal.

WATER BONDS CARRY IN HANSEN HEIGHTS.

The City Council yesterday officially canvassed the returns of the special election held in Municipal Improvement District No. 9 — the Hansen Heights District — on the proposal to authorize the issuance of $150,000 bonds for a water system to be served by the Los Angeles Aqueduct. The canvass showed thirty-eight votes for the bonds and one against them. At a previous election the proposition was carried, but technical errors were found in the proceedings, necessitating another election.

SIGNED DEED WHILE DRUGGED, HE AVERS.

In a suit to cancel a deed to property in Inglewood, Samuel J. Jones, who names Fanny M. Wentworth defendant, asserts that while he was ill and under the influence of drugs he was induced to sign the deed.

Since the accidental death of her husband, Mrs. Wentworth and her children have been occupying Mr. Wentworth's house at 712 South Fir street, Inglewood. He says no consideration was given for the deed, which was not to be recorded, but that after he executed it Mrs. Wentworth did record the instrument.

PAY RISE ASSURED.

Salary Ordinance is Set for Council Action Monday.

Final action on the ordinance that will provide increases in salaries for city employees is set as the special order of business at the Council session Monday morning. The Councilmen have practically agreed that it shall be passed at that time, that the pay rise may become effective February 1.

At an adjourned session yesterday afternoon the Council adopted the revised standardization code, which places employees in the police department, who were classified as policemen, back in their former classification. It then adopted the revised salary ordinance for the police department. Because of the desire of the City Attorney to carefully recheck the salary ordinance as it stands under this classification, the Council decided to postpone final action until 10:30 a.m. Monday.

LIBERTY BOND IS DEAR FUEL.

Wife Burns It; Another One Costs Cash Pledge Twice the Paper's Value.

When Mrs. D. T. Jackson of Santa Ana hid a $100 Liberty Bond in a hot water heater, right among the copper coils, and then forgot about it and lighted the gas, she paved the way for the approval of a novel bond yesterday by U. S. Commissioner Long. The Liberty Bond was burned to cinders and, Mr. Jackson asked Uncle Sam to give him another. He found that the only way he could get the lost property replaced was to give security of twice the amount asked. So he placed $200 in the hands of the commissioner yesterday, and, with the latter's approval, the government will issue to Mr. Jackson another Liberty Bond.

REDS BUSY IN CAMPS IN TEXAS OIL FIELD.

REPORT OF AN INVASION OF WAGGONER CITY LEADS TO MANY ARRESTS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WICHITA FALLS (Tex.) Dec. 26.—Radicals are spreading Red propaganda in the oild-field camps in Northwest Texas and are making an organized effort to create discontent among workmen, Department of Justice officials, who have been investigating radical activities, announced today.

The Federal government, it was said, was making an "extensive investigation."

Reports that radicals were planning an invasion of Waggoner City, fourteen miles northwest of here, last night caused heavy guards to be stationed about stores on the outskirts of the town. A number of persons were arrested and are being held for investigation.

REDS OPPOSE TROTZKY.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—Evidence was given at today's executive session of the legislative committee that has been investigating radicalism in New York State that the Union of Russian Workers, the organization to which a large proportion of the radicals recently deported on the transport Buford belonged, includes the soviet government of Russia in its antagonism to all forms of authorities. George J. Starr, an investigator of the committee, testified that at one of the meetings of the organization a resolution was adopted condemning the Lenine-Trotzky variety of government as being as reactionary as any other.

Evidence also was given the committee that the Union of Russian Workers has more than 7000 members in the United States, organized in seventy branches, and has seventeen branches in Canada. As an indication of the kind of doctrines the organization advocates, a circular was submitted, which, it was testified, had been circulated throughout the country at the time of the attempted assassination of Premier Clemenceau of France last spring. This circular described the Premier's assailant as "a bold and loyal son of the oppressed masses," and termed his act "a holy duty."

GO TO RUSSIA ALL RIGHT.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

BALTIMORE, Dec. 26.—Some of the vagaries of sovietism turned up before Judge Rose in the U. S. District Court today, when two radicals appeared on habeas corpus proceedings. They said they wanted to go back to Russia and when they are given assurance by Dist.-Atty. Dennis that they were headed in that direction, decided to dismiss their petition in the belief they had won a victory.

They were Gregory Moorss and Kazimer Benecewich, scheduled to sail aboard the "first soviet ark," but whose departure was delayed by the habeas corpus action to obtain their release. Immigration Commissioner Stump said they would be sent to Ellis Island quickly, to sail on the second transport.

FITTS BACK FROM EAST.

Lieut. Buron R. Fitts, vice-president of the American Legion of California, returned yesterday from Washington, where he attended a three-day session of Legion officers.

SHIPPING.

LOS ANGELES HARBOR.

ARRIVED—FRIDAY, DEC. 26.

Steamer Jerome B. Morey, from Gray's Harbor.
Steamer City of Para, from San Francisco.
Steamer Argyll, from San Francisco.
Power schooner Adriana, from Honolulu.

SAILED—FRIDAY, DEC. 26.

Steamer Providence, for Puget Sound.
Steamer Alcatraz, for San Diego.
Steamer City of Puebla, for Salina.
Steamer Point Loma, for San Francisco.
Power schooner Adriana, for Honolulu.
Steamer West Notus, for Ione Isle.
Steamer J. V. Stetson, for San Francisco.

PASSENGER SCHEDULE.

TO ARRIVE.

Dec. 27—Wilmington, Portland ..... 6 a.m.
Dec. 27—Calif., Portland ..... 8 a.m.
Dec. 27—Admiral Schley, Puget Sound ..... 2 p.m.
Dec. 27—Admiral Farragut, Puget Sound ..... 2 p.m.
Dec. 28—Admiral Schley, Portland ..... 2 p.m.
Dec. 28—Admiral Farragut, Portland ..... 2 p.m.
Dec. 28—Admiral Schley, San Diego, 10 a.m.
Dec. 28—Governor, Puget Sound ..... 8 a.m.
Dec. 29—Admiral Schley, San Diego, 10 a.m.
Dec. 29—Admiral Farragut, Puget Sound ..... 10 a.m.
Dec. 29—Governor, Puget Sound ..... 10 a.m.

TO DEPART.

Dec. 27—Admiral Schley, San Diego, 10 a.m.
Dec. 27—Admiral Farragut, Puget Sound, 10 a.m.
Dec. 27—Governor, Puget Sound, 10 a.m.

IN THE HARBOR.

Steamer Bee, G. H. D. & W. Co.
Steamer Bear, Tank, Mendocino, Gray's Harbor.
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THE POINT OF VIEW.

America is exporting 5,000,000 gallons of whisky to Germany. There are a lot of persons not members of the Supreme Court who will hold that this act may be classed as furnishing aid and comfort to the enemy.

THE PRODUCER.

The hold-up men in the criminal line are the fellows who make everybody produce. But in the industrial world the hold-up bunch is formed of those who stay production. In both cases we are strong for the suppression of hold-up men.

AFTER THE TIPPLERS.

The Anti-Saloon League is reported as raising a fund of $4,000,000 for the enforcement of prohibition in the States of Iowa, Nebraska and Dakota alone. They must expect that home brewing will be the favorite sport of the Middle West for the next decade.

AMONG ALIENS.

Milwaukee has raised $50,000 for the fund for booming a Sinn Fein republic in Ireland. Let's see, that's the same town that re-elected Victor Berger as its Representative in Congress. As a typical American city Milwaukee is very much Erin go Vaterland.

ON THE SPOT.

The astronomers are gathering at the island of Jamaica as the most favorable spot for the discovery of the planet expected to appear beyond the orbit of Neptune. Since the country has gone bone dry the fancy of many minds turns toward Jamaica in the matter of seein' things.

MIDDLEMEN.

Of course, there may be a reason for all things, but it is hard to convince the man in the street of the necessity of having a sugar broker who stands between the refiner and the wholesaler and draws out a commission of 2 or 3 cents a pound without ever handling the sweet stuff at all. If this is true, why is the which, and whence?

REPORTS PROGRESS.

The patient and persistent efforts of the government to reduce the high cost of living are certain to produce results. After aggressive hammering at the profiteers the Attorney-General is able to this morning announce a drop of over 400 per cent. in the price of Christmas trees. Now if he could be able to do this with beef and bacon we would be proud to place a group picture of him on the parlor mantel.

THE GREEN ISLE.

An American magazine publisher who has made a tour all over Ireland reports it as being the most prosperous and best fed country in Europe today. There is over half a billion dollars in the banks and more than 500,000 head of cattle on the farms. In the last five years Ireland has shipped more foodstuffs into England than America has and the island is a paradise of prosperity. For the love of Mike what are they fussing about then?

IN THE SADDLE.

The Commoner, edited by William Jennings Bryan, is strongly insistent on the nomination for the Presidency of a bold prohibition orator from Nebraska, whose first name begins with William Jennings Bryan. The distinguished editor believes that if the unextinguished orator were nominated by the Democrats, the Republicans and Prohibitionists, he would sweep the country. Probably the country needs sweeping, but we doubt if that bad.

HOPE OF THE WORLD.

Americans who have just returned from abroad unite in the assertion that without American participation there can be no substantial League of Nations nor any just and permanent peace for any section of the world, much less Europe. If America mutely surrenders the lofty ideals for which she fought there is no hope left for the rest of the universe. Upon that all observing travelers are unanimously agreed. It might have been a good idea to place the U. S. Senate on a battleship and send it to other shores, that the members might feel the pulse of the world for themselves instead of remaining in their splendid isolation.

WELCOME RIDDANCE.

The first of the "convict ships" carrying undesirables from American shores is on its way to an unnamed port on the borders of soviet Russia. The passenger list comprises 250 persons who have been tried in this country and found guilty of plotting to overthrow the government by means of violence. They represent the worst of the immigrants who were coming to America before the war at the rate of 1,800,000 a year. They are the rotten apples that must be removed from the barrel in order that the good ones may be preserved. Anarchists all, they are being sent back to the land of Lenine and Trotzky, with whose doctrines they seem to be in perfect harmony. But we will hasard a guess that they will be even less satisfied with the government of soviet Russia than they were with that of the United States. They are well named men without a country, for there is no people on the face of the earth to whom they will not be a menace.

INMAN'S RAID ON JORDAN.

President Inman of the Oriental Exclusion League, also a State Senator, has "fired" Secretary of State Frank C. Jordan from the league's general committee, because Mr. Jordan has espoused the plan of bringing Chinese farmers here under limited contracts to work on California ranches. We fear that Senator Inman is giving a very good exhibition of how not to organize a successful exclusion league. No one of the half-million citizens of California who know Frank Jordan personally will believe that he favors, even remotely, Japanese or Chinese colonization. There are probably a hundred persons in the State who know Mr. Jordan for every one who has heard of Senator Inman. In fact, The Times had regarded the Secretary of State as one of the best assets of the league. If the organization of which Senator Inman is the titular head is too narrow to include it its membership one as broad-minded and public-spirited as Mr. Jordan, it is too narrow to be of any great benefit to the State in combatting the Japanese industrial invasion.

The Times has observed the preliminary work of the Oriental Exclusion League and was inclined to think well of it. The prospectus received in this office enumerates the following "five points" for which the league is contending:

(1.) Cancellation of the "Gentlemen's Agreement."

(2.) Exclusion of "Picture Brides."

(3.) Rigorous exclusion of Japanese as immigrants.

(4.) Confirmation and legalization of the policy that Asiatics shall be forever barred from American citizenship.

(5.) Amendment to the Federal Constitution providing that no child born in the United States shall be given the rights of an American citizen unless both parents are of a race eligible to citizenship.

With perhaps one or two mild reservations, The Times approves the policy of the league as set forth in its prospectus. But we fail to see how the bringing of a limited number of Chinese farmers here under contract, for a length of time specified in that contract, comes in conflict with any of the five points of the league.

There is a vast difference between the status of the Japanese who comes to this country for the purpose of establishing his residence here and who, once landed, cannot be deported unless he is caught plotting the violent overthrow of the government, and that of a Chinese farmer who comes under a two-year contract and must return to his native land at the expiration of that period. The Times has more than once favored the adoption of some provision which would permit the employment of Chinese farmers for a limited time to do the rough work on California ranches. The labor shortage in the agricultural and horticultural districts of the State adds very materially to the high cost of food. In many communities women and children are forced to perform hard labor in the fields in order that crops may be tended and harvested.

Senator Inman is more valuable to the State as a crusader against the Japanese industrial invasion than as the executive head of the Oriental Exclusion League. Executive action requires coolness and deliberation. Senator Inman is all fire and fury. As an exhorter to action he is valuable; but he is too apt to fly off at a tangent (as he seems to have done in the Frank Jordan incident) to lead successfully an organization so full of promise as the Oriental Exclusion League.

The Times has also observed that the newspapers which are charging through innuendo that Mr. Jordan is pro-oriental are also announcing that a new candidate is in the field for the Republican nomination for the office of Secretary of State. Mr. Jordan and Senator Inman have no political affinities; and it looks to the outsider as though someone is attempting to boost the other candidate by "knocking" Frank Jordan. Such a method of electioneering is reminiscent of the days when Jack Neylan was head of the State Board of Control. Those "poison gas" campaigns are not so formidable, however, as they were a few years ago. German and Bolshevist propaganda has done much to open the eyes of the people of the country at large to the animus and self-interest back of the average campaign of abuse.

The Times regrets that it fails to understand why Mr. Jordan's espousal of a plan to bring Chinese farmers here for a brief period under contract has anything to do with the question of Japanese exclusion. If Senator Inman is going to be too technical about the personnel of the Exclusion League its policy will never be broad enough to win popular support. It is not Secretary Jordan, but the league, that has been hurt by Senator Inman's hasty action.

SERVICE MEDAL SCANDAL.

The charge that politics has been permitted to mar the award of Distinguished Service medals to the country's naval heroes is one that Congress will do well to investigate. If it is true, as Admiral Sims alleges, that men who rendered notable service at sea have been overlooked and that the medals have gone to do-nothing stay-at-homes with a "pull," an insult has been offered to the valiant officers of the navy that the whole country should resent. Admiral Sims has declined to accept one of the medals for the reason that, in his opinion, they represent distinguished political and not military services. Many discouraging reports have come from government departments during the last six months; but there is none which will awaken more disgust in the minds of loyal Americans than the charge that the medals struck to commemorate valiant service in the navy during the war are to adorn the breasts of "deserving Democrats."

THE PAST MARKS.

The labor unions in Spain raised a fund amounting to a number of millions to be used as strike benefits or for general relief measures. Now that the employers have anticipated matters and instituted a lockout and many idle workmen find themselves in need of financial help it is found that more than half of the money was placed in Paris banks to the credit of three or four of the union leaders, who have been living in barbaric splendor and extravagance. The average led-by-the-nose union worker trusts his business agent and walking delegate when nobody else will.

JOSEPH THE FIRST FOOD HOARDER.

In the current market reports of that time we learn that the principal food products of the lands described in the Old Testament were corn, parched grain, manna, locusts and wild honey—the latter a combination affected by John with his raiment of camel's hair and leather girdle—figs, raisins, etc.

There is no record of profiteering in the illuminating story of the wanderings and doings of the Children of Israel; but seedtime and harvest failed and there was distress in the land. There was no irrigation system in all Egypt then, such as we have now in Southern California, no Owens River water to draw from; and when it failed to rain the ranchers had to either stop eating or get assistance from some more favored community where shares were held in the waterworks and the annual dues had been paid.

But of all the contrivances for sustenance the manna furnished the Children of Israel in their forty years' wanderings in the wilderness was really the last word. We have no very clear definition of just what manna was, but imagine that it was something like alfalfa. It fell every day but the Sabbath, and enough fell on Saturday to last over Sunday and in sufficient quantities to feed a million people. It did not cost anything and must have been a perpetual delight to the lazy husbands who were too busy discussing the last war and carrying home the washing that had been done by their wives to secure anything for the daily meal.

It is related that the Children of Israel never tired of it. Imagine a fellow eating alfalfa three times a day, seven days in the week, for forty years! There is no record that there ever was a shortage of the manna crop, and as everybody ate it there must have been something in it to recommend it. Possibly there was a kick in it.

But the corner grocery always had it to give without price, thus doing away with any necessity on the part of the clerks of telling customers that they had no real fresh manna on hand, but they had something equally as good.

Joseph was the first food hoarder of which we have any exact knowledge. When he was only 30 years of age and had become the political leader in his ward there were seven years of plenty in Egypt. What did the smooth Joseph do? Did he argue with himself that there would always be an abundance of foodstuff in the land? He did not. But "he gathered up all of the food of the seven years which were in the land of Egypt and laid up the food in the cities; the food of the field which was roundabout every city laid he up in the same." There were no cold-storage warehouses in that day, and no pending bills in Congress to limit the period that food could remain in cold storage, so we are in ignorance of his methods, but the fact remains that he stored the food. He wanted to see how the law of supply and demand would work out.

When the famine came Joseph was the only man in the settlement who had food. But he did not hunch the price, like some of his successors in the cold-storage business, but sold unto the Egyptians. The narrative says "and all countries came into Egypt to Joseph to buy grain." Imagine an up-to-date profiteer in such a position of advantage.

Joseph's father, Jacob, was no believer in race suicide, and he had ten sons in addition to Joseph, and he sent the ten brethren down to Joseph to get grain. In the meantime Joseph had entered politics at the urgent request of his friends and was Governor of the land and he supplied his brethren with all the grain they desired. Not only that, but when they were about to drive away in their automobiles loaded down to the radiators with grain they were much pleased to find all of their money "in the mouth of the sack." In other words, Joseph had refused to take any pay from the boys. Indicating how much better Joseph did a graceful thing than is the custom now. In 1919 the brethren might have escaped with their machines, but they would have been compelled to pay a high price and left the money.

And there was Ruth the Moabite damsel that came back with Naomi out of the country of Moab. There was a food shortage in her country due to the efforts of the college professors to increase their wages up to the plane enjoyed by members of the Amalgamated Order of Hod-Carriers, and a strike was threatened. The food supply was short and the best families had nothing more substantial than bread, vinegar and parched corn. That was before the bakers had reduced the size of the loaf and jumped the prices, when vinegar was made out of pure cider and nothing but red ears of corn were grown in some parts of Moab.

Ruth had entered the good graces of her mother-in-law, but we were never entirely clear on that episode with Boaz, when after he had violated the war-time prohibition law and laid down to sleep off its effects, he spread his skirt over his hand-maiden, Ruth, who slept at his feet. We always thought that Boaz, through his attorney, should have made a personal statement on that point. It has been a favorite topic with theologians, and some of the views were not complimentary to Boaz.

When Ahitophel got sore and hanged himself because his advice had not been followed by David, before the army of the latter had crossed Jordan in its pursuit of Absalom, we find the most varied list of food served to David and his men. There was wheat, barley, meal, parched corn, beans, lentils, parched pulse, honey, butter, sheep and cheese of the herd, a list that would compare favorably with a $20 dinner ticket in the Pullman diner.

But prices were fair and reasonable, and there were no assistant attorney-generals gallivanting around the country at public expense organizing Presidential booms for their chief under the guise of trying to reduce the price of living by taking hold of their boot straps and lifting lustily.

But then, as now, plenty of food has been a potent argument with a lot of people, and David, son of Jesse, fell for it. Abagail took two hundred loaves of bread, two bottles of wine, five dressed sheep, five measures of parched grain, a hundred clusters of raisins (possibly from the Fresno county region where they lost so much money the past season with prices doubled) and two hundred cakes of figs. David was angry at Nabal the shepherd of Carmel, because he refused to turn over his slaughtered sheep to feed the army of David, but when he saw the food he weakened and relented and Nabal gave a house-warming. A bit too much of the celebrated 2.75 was served on that occasion and Nabal got drunk, and subsequently in the proceedings Jehovah smote Nabal so that he died. But the good things taken to David by Abagail opened the heart of David, as has been the undeviating record in this old world ever since.

And so runs the story of that early time. Joseph was the only malefactor of great wealth to buy up all of the grain and food in the country, but he sold it at a fair price and did the fair thing by his brethren in restoring to them the money they had brought for the purchase of a supply. He never shook his old folks, which is more than some people in this wonderful age of enlightenment and religious culture can say.

Is It Coming to This?

If the house shortage continues some such conversation as this is likely to be heard soon:

"You are the manager of this department store?"

"Yes, sir."

"I am unable to find a room."

"Well?"

"I notice that you have one of your windows fitted up as a bedchamber. Would you mind letting me occupy it nights? I guarantee to be up and have the bed made before the store is opened."—[Boston Transcript.

WOMAN ON WOMAN.

BY BESS MUNN.

Woman's opinion of the other woman is high. So high in fact that she demands from her only that accomplishment which throws into ignominious shadow all others. But she is antagonistic until success crowns effort. Apprised of initial attempt, she immediately has her doubts. Great doubts. She questions first whether this is the time for such an endeavor. She reinforces her doubts with surmises as to possible outcomes. The whole thing disturbs and distresses her. And the organization to which she belongs is a fertile field for the sowing of her uneasiness. The presence of initiative still upsets women as a hawk upsets a yard full of chickens. They seem to feel it in some manner threatens their existence. We deserve the adjective conservative. We have earned it from centuries of inaction.

Los Angeles during the past few weeks has been the scene of an enactment of this attitude of women toward initiative in women. One woman's organization, having some thousand members, took a leap. The board and the club at large voted upon an undertaking which was new—new in its concept and new in its application. Those sponsoring this undertaking did not promise a success for the attempt which would dazzle the civilized world, nor did they declare that every other activity should halt while this endeavor was being given a try-out.

But no sooner was the announcement made that it was possible that women's organizations and films might make a satisfactory combination until the fur began to fly. There was a perceptible bristling and the opposition assumed proportions. Conversations grew heated and eyes sparkled while the project was still in the planning. A schism was threatened and some of the women felt that something ought to be done about it. Here was a new plan, sponsored by women, right at our very own hearthstone as it were. And there is, it seems, treachery in that. Had the same plan come from outside women from Maine or Chicago or London or Vancouver women well and good, there would have been commendation and applause.

Had the same plan been presented by a worldly wise and ingratiating man the story might have been different—very different. It is one of the hardest things in the world to believe that a member of your own club or home or sex is capable of much individually. What may be accomplished collectively is a different matter. And the individual in the town or home or club or sex who, unaided and alone, thinks out and acts upon an initiatory conviction better look out. They are starting trouble on a large scale. And to believe that the attempt is for the good of the town or club or home or sex is beyond the credence of the human mind. To have such faith is to commend oneself to the nearest psychopathic ward.

We women have left the old days when we were fed and clothed and thought for and generally managed and therefore had neither time nor place for initiative. But we still harbor the old antagonism to initiative as a relic of other days when competition among women was just as keen but on rather different lines, when we fought more with wiles and less with wits.

But now we are occupying pastures new where what we do is more important than how we look. And though we declare individually and collectively that we will make good, we cannot achieve that success every woman demands from every other woman until we frown less and smile more upon initiative, even though it has its inception in the brain of our nearest and dearest club associate and woman friend.

AIN'T IT JUST SO?

Ain't it farce how Old Dame
Experience, more iconoclast than
School-teacher, keeps smashing the
Delusions with which Credulity
Would make our lives tolerable;
Santa Claus, The Dustman, The
Fairies, I saw them come and go,
Nero and his fiddle, Robert the
Bruce and his spider, Alfred the
Great and his hot-cake stunt,
Cheered my young life for a few
Years and then—I was told that
They, too, were myths, even George
And his hatchet, even George and
His Dollar-across-the-Potomac were
Not spared, and the other night
When I rushed into a department
Store to make a belated purchase
And forced my way for a half-hour
Through a seething mass of battling womanhood and manhood, and
Then fought for another half-hour
To obtain a hearing from the tired
Clerk who presided at the book
Counter, away went another delusion, the guy "who did all his
Christmas shopping early," there
Ain't no such animal.

THREL FALL.

RIPPLING RHYMES.

GETTING BACK.

Let us all get back to working,
back to earning honest rocks, back
to baking, painting, clerking, back
to winding eight-day clocks. Long
enough we've whooped and clamored, making all the welkins ring;
long enough we've knocked and
hammered every sane and useful
thing. If we'd all get back to toiling like a bunch of earnest men, industries now dead and spoiling
would be cutting grass again. There
would be a trade revival that would
simply beat the band, and a boom
without a rival in the annals of this
land. There would be no idle pulley, smoke would come from every
stack, if we'd be less wild and woolly, if we'd hit the old-time track.
Let's get back to useful labor, as we
labored long ago, peeling onions
with a saber, sawing firewood with
a hoe. Let us all resume our knitting, make the shining needles fly,
working blithely, nor admitting any
"agitator" guy. Let us darn the
socks and mittens, prune the hedge
and shear the cow, hunt the eggs
and drown the kittens—let us all
get busy now. WALT MASON.

NOT ENOUGH BUTTINSKYS.

What we need in most every community is more fellows who will attend to other people's business. The other people are too careless of their business and overlook too many points. Besides, they don't know anything about their own business affairs, anyway. The fellows who devote most of their time to other people's business are more efficient and can handle the other man's business better than he can himself. They admit that fact themselves, so it must be so. The fellow who never had a bank account can give the bank president all kinds of pointers on how to improve his business. Then there is the man who can tell a minister just how to preach and how to manage his flock. Very few editors know how to run their papers, but the fellow who has been in a printing office three times in his life knows all about it. All towns would be better if they had more buttinskys on the job. Just because a man is successful is no sign he knows how to run his business. It is a paying job, too—this running of other people's business.—[Osborne (Kan.) Village Deacon.

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Which causes every beat to ... more quick.
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As though he summoned all ... yonder sky.
And now it falls with gracious ... mic swing;
The mighty orchestra ... sing.
Ever responsive to its ... He plays upon it with consummate skill,
His hand leaps out, and lo! ... comes
A blast of brass, a roll of ... drums.
The tumult rises; then ... to roll
Together and to vanish ... The heights are gained, the ... farther go.
They reach the limits of ... Then on the finale falls the ... plea,
Like oil upon an angry ... The storm subsides; then ... lovely strain
That captivates ... soothes the brain.
We hang with pleasure ... ing notes,
With sweetness laden ... sound that floats
O'er banks of violets ... bloom,
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The restless hand is still; ... Cease!
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(Main Floor)

Batiste and Organdie Flouncings at Half

Handsome flouncings that are 18, 27 and 44 inches deep—all that are left in stock since our last sale of the sort will be placed on special January Sale at exactly .....Half

Sale is held in order to make room for new arrivals recently ordered.

Chemise Blouses Cut One-Third

Beauties—these blouses—and very fashionable; just fifteen of them left.

Remnant Sales

Of Georgettes, chiffons, nets, embroideries and laces at remnant prices.

(Main Floor)

The January Muslinwear Sales Offer

Much of interest to women who appreciate good muslinwear and the lingerie of silk—yet who are not averse to saving upon its purchase. We mention herewith only a very few items:

Nightgowns

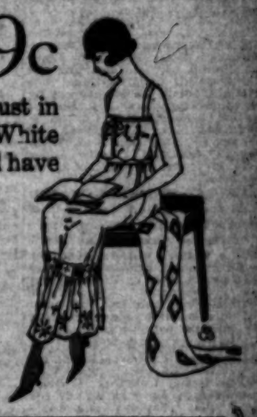
With square neck and short sleeves; yoke front and back, of Valenciennes insertion and embroidery; sleeves of same; neck and sleeves edged with Valenciennes; body of the garment fashioned of good nainsook; full width and length; $4.00 gowns in the January sale at.....$3.45

V-neck, short sleeve gowns in similar quality; usually $3, in the sale at.....$2.20

Square neck, Valenciennes and embroidery trimmed; reduced from $3.25 to.....$2.45

Imported Irish Dimities, yard

The prettiest Irish dimities any woman ever enthused over are these, direct from Belfast, which have reached us just in time to be put into the January White Sale at away below what they will have to sell for at regular prices. 59c



This is our first shipment for 1920—embracing all the newest colors and patterns; later on, such dimities will sell for at least 75c; we can offer them, now, at yard 59c

(Dress Cottons; Second Floor)

The January Linen Sale Features Bedspreads

White, Colored, Hemmed, Scalloped—All Reduced

Every spread in stock bears a lower January Sale price—satin, crochet or the sheer lawn hand-embroidered spreads that are so handsome.

Sheer Lawn Spreads

Hand-embroidered, for three-quarter or twin beds; beautifully embroidered on extra fine lawn; we have a large quantity of these $20, $22.50 and $25 spreads to sell now (size 70 x108) at $16.65

Hand-embroidered full-size spreads (90x108), in wide assortment; usually $25, $30 and $35, choice...$19.85

Plain, beautiful sheer spreads; ¾-size; were $12, for.....$9.50

Full size, were $13.50.....$10.85

Dimity Spreads

Crinkled dimity spreads—the kinds that do not need ironing—light of weight and generous of size:

72x90; for ¾ beds.....$2.95
81x90, for full size beds.....$3.65
90x100, for extra size beds....$4.25

Satin Marseilles Spread Sets

Full size spread with bolster sham to match:

$10.00 sets now.....$8.25
$12.50 sets now.....$9.85

(Spreads; Second Floor)

After Christmas Sales of Women's Coats

Reduced ⅓, ¼, ½

Fine, carefully-selected, rightly-priced coats that will give two or three seasons' service, at a fraction of their worth:

Cut a Fourth.

$29.50 to $105 coats—the lower-priced ones in velours and mixtures; the better ones in velours, silvertones and chameleon cords.

Cut a Third

$65 to $129.50 coats—the lower-priced in wool velours; the better in Bolivias and silvertone materials—all handsomely made and finished.

Coats at Half

A limited number in tinseltones, cut Bolivias and other high-class fabrics; coats originally $67.50 to $117.50.

The January Blanket Sale

Features a great many things besides blankets, at reductions worth your while; pillows, mattresses (Ostermoor and our own Drowsyland brands); comforts, automobiles robes and steamer rugs.

White Blankets With Colored Borders

$20.00 Blankets...$16.50
$11.00 Blankets....$9.50
$7.75 Blankets....$6.75
$17.50 Blankets...$15.00
$10.00 Blankets....$8.50
$6.50 Blankets....$5.25
$15.00 Blankets...$12.50
$9.00 Blankets....$8.25
$5.50 Blankets....$4.50

Colored Blankets

$12.50 Blankets...$10.00
$9.00 Blankets....$7.50
$11.00 Blankets....$9.50
$10.00 Blankets....$8.50
$6.50 Blankets....$5.00

Plaid Blankets

$17.50 Blankets...$15.00
$10.00 Blankets....$8.00
$15.00 Blankets...$12.00
$11.00 Blankets....$9.00
$8.00 Blankets....$6.75

(Bedding; Second Floor)

Every Winter Hat Now Half Price

And a great many are even less than half their former originally very fair prices. Coulter millinery has a reputation all over Los Angeles for its goodness, originality and moderateness of price.

And when those prices are cut in half, no woman can afford not to investigate the values offered.

From $5.00 to $25.00

(Millinery; Third Floor)

Infants' and Children's Stamped Dresses for Less

Sizes up to and including four years. They are stamped on lawn, dimity and flaxon all made up, and the designs are unusually attractive in character.

Values to $2.00, for.....$1.00
Values to $1.25, for..... 50c

Gertrudes

All made, and stamped on excellent batiste; sizes 1, 2, 3 and 4 years; special.....75c

(Art Needlework; Fourth Floor)

Fur Trimmed Coats

All Reduced From

One-Fourth to One-Half

Some styles as low as $72.50, and others all the way to $295—magnificent coats whose wear-time can be counted for months.

Bathroom Fixtures

Final clearance of all crystal shelves, bars, crystal and nickel toilet paper holders, soap, dishes, dish cloth holders.

Half

(Main Floor)

All Furs Reduced

All furs in Hudson seal, skunk, Japanese mink and fitch.

Reduced One-Third

All foxes in red, cross or white

Reduced One-Third

All foxes in black or taupe; all wolves in black or taupe

Reduced 10%

(Third Floor)

COULTER'S—Seventh Street at Olive JANUARY WHITE SALE Seventh Street at Olive—COULTER'S

Los Angeles County News---South of Tehachepi's Top.

SUN SMILES ON CITY'S VISITORS.

Summer Temperature Greets Crowds at Pasadena.

Crown City Officers Rid Town of Mountebanks.

Aged Minister Dies at Home of Daughter.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

PASADENA, Dec. 26.—The Christmas holidays in Pasadena are characterized by midsummer weather. The thermometer climbed over 80 deg. today, while yesterday's maximum was 84.

Winter visitors and townspeople alike have found the shade of sun umbrellas and buildings very comfortable. Summer flannels and summery gowns are in evidence on the streets and on the hotel verandas.

The visiting football players are finding the days somewhat too warm to suit them at their practice.

VISITING MINISTER DIES.

Rev. Joseph H. Alling of Evanston, Ill., died this morning at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Kate Thomas, 605 North Los Robles avenue. He was 83 years old and one of the oldest members of the Chicago conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church. He was spending the winter with his daughter here. Besides Mrs. Thomas he is survived by three other daughters, Mrs. Harriet Perry of Pasadena, Mrs. Charles S. Baldin and Mrs. W. Murdock of Evanston, Ill., and three sons, W. J. Alling of Anaheim, Claude Alling of Evanston and Harold Alling of Milwaukee.

UNLICENSED HAWKERS CHASED

Unlicensed hawkers and street musicians from Los Angeles, here to inveigle the nickels and dimes from the winter visitors, and the Rose Tournament crowds, are being hustled out of town by the Pasadena police. Crescenzo Pietriocippio and his retained monkey and hand organ were expelled today for giving street concerts without a license.

PARK IS APPROVED.

The Pasadena City Commission today indorsed the plan proposed by the Long Beach Chamber of Commerce for a public park along the edge of the proposed shore-line boulevard.

FIRST SECRETARY HERE.

L. M. King, secretary of the San Francisco Chamber of Commerce, is the first delegate to arrive for the State Commercial Secretaries' convention, which opens here Monday. He is a guest at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. King, 313 Locust street.

We're ready to furnish your home—ten floors to select from. Acorn ranges, Leonard refrigerators. Pasadena Furniture Company.—[Advertisement.

GAVE FREELY TO MANY CHARITIES.

WELL-KNOWN SANTA MONICA WOMAN ANSWERS FINAL SUMMONS.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SANTA MONICA, Dec. 26.—Requesting that Miss Mary Martin of the Martin Sanatorium remain with her body until it was interred, Mrs. Ella J. Da Cunha of 315 Third street, Santa Monica, died this morning after a long illness.

Mrs. Da Cunha was the widow of the late George W. Da Cunha, for many years a prominent New York architect. Her many gifts to charitable institutions throughout the United States made her a nationally-known figure. She recently deeded several acres in the San Vicente tract to the Santa Monica Presbytery, and was to have built an old ladies' home there. At the death of her husband, several years ago, she gave a number of valuable paintings to the Elks' lodge, of which he was a member, for the decoration of their local home.

In asking Mrs. Martin to remain with her body until its burial, it is said that Mrs. Da Cunha expressed but one of her many eccentric ideas concerning death and time. During her life that took great care, it is said, that no one should ever know her age. Records show that she was nearly 84. Her last wish is being faithfully complied with. Funeral services will be held tomorrow at 10 a.m. from the home. Interment will be at Hollywood Cemetery.

Take Bell-Ans Before Meals and see how fine good digestion makes you feel.

THERE IS METHOD IN HIS MADNESS.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

POMONA, Dec. 26.—Admitting that he was "crazy for a bed," a stranger, giving his name as Sam Bear, who was locked up last night by local officers, today confessed that he worked his scheme to get a warm bed on chilly nights. He said that he had used the same means to get a free berth in the jails of Ontario and San Bernardino.

His scheme was to visit the railroad station near bedtime and make some crazy remark which would arouse the suspicions of those about the station. The latter would then call the police and after that it was easy enough to act strangely so that the night officer would lock him up. The man was released from jail and ordered to leave the city at once.

PROVIDE VETERANS CHRISTMAS MONEY.

OFFICIALS MAKE SHORT WORK OF DISTRIBUTING BIG PENSION FUND.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SOLDIERS' HOME, Dec. 26. — The amount of pension money paid to veterans of this branch for the December quarter totaled $380,098.71. Of which amount $179,569.03 was paid in cash to members present. The sum of $100,489.03 was paid by check to members absent on furlough. There were present on date of payment 3514; absent on furlough, 913; making the total membership on that date 3420.

Maj. G. T. Baggott, treasurer of the branch, broke the record in payment of the above. The check from Washington was not received by the bank in Los Angeles until Wednesday morning. Ordinarily, payments cannot be made earlier than twenty-four hours after receipt of check. As Christmas Day in that case would intervene, payment would necessarily be postponed until the day following the big holiday. Maj. Baggott was determined that veterans having families should have the funds immediately. He had the telephone with bank people to such effect that the funds were obtained and payment made before dark.

"Hotel del Coronado" still has room. See Norcross, 517 Spring.—[Advertisement.

BENEFIT DANCE.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SOLDIERS' HOME, Dec. 26. — Hamilton S. Hawkins Camp, United Spanish War Veterans, together with the ladies' auxiliary, are making preparations for a grand masquerade ball on New Year's Eve, which will be for the benefit of their comrades, who, being sans pensioners, are deprived of enjoyments during the holiday season other than that limited to the home grounds and they will thus be assured of a real good time. The work, already well advanced, gives promise of a large attendance.

Spend New Year's at "Coronado."—[Advertisement.

MURDER TRIAL ENDS MONDAY.

Fate of Accused Mail Carrier in the Balance.

San Bernardino Sailor Wins Hero Medal.

Texas Rancher Says Prisoner Defrauded Him.

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SAN BERNARDINO, Dec. 26.—The fate of Elmer W. Brown, desert mail carrier, accused of the murder of Thomas Flood on September 28, will be decided Monday by a jury which today heard the closing evidence in the case. Arguments by the attorneys are expected to consume all of Monday.

The feature of the closing day of the case was the appearance of the widow of the slain man as a witness.

Drs. D. C. Strong, G. B. Rowell and H. W. Mills declared today that in their opinion Flood did not die from the effects of a small gunshot wound in the lungs, but from heart malady. Dr. Mills displayed pieces of shrapnel which he had removed from the lungs of soldiers who did not die, he stated. He was an army surgeon in France.

GETS HERO MEDAL.

Awarding of the Distinguished Service Cross to Commander Stanford S. Hooper, U.S.N., of San Bernardino, was announced in a message received by members of the family today. Commander Hooper had not advised his family of any act of heroism or distinguished service during the war, which might have won a medal, but it is believed that it probably occurred when his ship, the Fairfax, assisted a sinking steamer. Pictures of this event appeared in a magazine recently.

IDENTIFIES PRISONERS.

Following his arrival from Hale Center, Tex., J. N. Norfleet, ex-Sheriff and farmer, identified E. J. Ward as one of the three men who swindled him out of $46,000 in a fake stock exchange transaction a few weeks ago in Texas. Officers from Texas are expected tonight with extradition papers to take Ward and a companion, Charles Gerber, back to answer to the charge. They were arrested here when an alleged intended victim became suspicious and complained to the officers.

Go to "Coronado" while the going is good. Early next month the big hotel will be full. Phone M. 3917.—[Advertisement.

KIDNAPED GIRL WILLING VICTIM.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

BRAWLEY, Dec. 26.—Fourteen-year-old Maria Navares, on the witness stand today at the preliminary hearing of Ampelio Silva, charged with kidnaping the girl, testified that she willingly went with Silva to San Bernardino and that they tried to secure a marriage license there, but were refused. She was uncertained whether they remained in San Bernardino for one week or two.

The case will be continued.

SHIFTS RESPONSIBILITY.

Manager of Gas Company Blames Eastern Concerns.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

VISALIA, Dec. 26.—F. W. Hunter, general manager of the Central Counties Gas Company, in a statement made at a general meeting of business men and other patrons of the corporation to consider the possibilities of a natural gas line from the oil fields, admitted that the service his corporation had been giving recently has not been up to standard. The company served gas to consumers in Visalia, Tulare, Exeter, Strathmore, Lindsay and Porterville.

Mr. Hunter declared, however, that the chief cause of the deficiency can be traced to labor and other conditions in the East, as a result of which it has been impossible to secure repairs for machinery and other necessary supplies.

After holidays "Hotel del Coronado" will be full. Go now.—[Advertisement.

OFFICER TUMBLES.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

TULARE, Dec. 26.—J. A. Scott, night police officer, is suffering from severe bruises and a deep scalp wound as the result of a fall into an uncovered pit. The officer was attempting to arrest two Mexicans, who ran into the alley.

BUILDING BOOM.

Long Beach Issues Permits Totaling More than a Million.

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

LONG BEACH, Dec. 26.—Believed to be the only city outside of San Francisco and Los Angeles in the State to make such a record this year, the valuation of building permits today in Long Beach passed the million-dollar mark for the month.

At the same time the permits passed the $7,000,000 level for the year, as compared with less than $3,000,000 for the entire year of 1918.

Ask for Norcross at 517 Spring st. "Hotel del Coronado" rooms.—[Advertisement.

TRACK WALKER KILLED.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

MEXICALI, Dec. 26.—Fred W. Johnson, a track walker, was instantly killed a short distance west of Packard yesterday afternoon on the Inter-California Railway by being thrown from his motor speeder. His neck was broken. A wife and two children survive.

A coroner's jury brought in a verdict of death by accident, and recommended that motor speeder drivers for the company be cautioned against excessive speeding.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE ENTERTAINS NAVAL MEN.

OFFICERS AND CREW OF JAP BOAT HONOR GUESTS AT DINNER.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

LOS ANGELES HARBOR, Dec. 26.—Members of the San Pedro and Long Beach Chambers of Commerce were entertained by Capt. Usagawa and his staff on board the Imperial Japanese cruiser Yakumo at the First street dock this afternoon. A programme of native Japanese sports, including the jiu-jitsu, were presented on the vessel and on the dock, and a luncheon was served in Japanese and American style.

This evening the commander of the Yakumo and his officers were the guests of the Chamber of Commerce at a supper given in the San Pedro Cafeteria, seventy-five members of the chamber were in attendance. Hundreds of Japanese visited the vessel here today, among them being Japanese Consul and Mrs. Ujiro Oyama of Los Angeles. The Yakumo sails tomorrow for Panama by way of Manzanillo, Mex.

BORS AUTOMOBILE.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

EL CENTRO, Dec. 26.—A sneak thief yesterday stole a bag containing $150 cash and $1500 in checks from the automobile of Herbert Brewer, Jr., a clerk for Zinn & Stanton, auctioneers, just after the owner of the machine had made a sale of property and deposited the proceeds in the tonneau of the car. The local police have a description of the man who committed the theft.

FOUR ARE INJURED BY FALLING WALL.

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

RIVERSIDE, Dec. 26.—Four men who were excavating in the basement of the Channel Commercial Company Building on Pachappa avenue near Eighth street were caught by a falling wall and flying debris this afternoon.

C. A. Gregg, the most seriously hurt was taken to the Riverside Hospital in company with Joe Marks and Frank Doremus. Lionel Dalton, son of one of the proprietors, who was run over by a runaway team in addition to being injured by sports, including the jiu-jitsu, were the collapse of the wall was removed to his home, where his wounds were dressed.

CONDITION CRITICAL.

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

LONG BEACH, Dec. 26.—Rev. Curtis R. Stevenson, pastor of the United Presbyterian Church, who is a patient at a local hospital suffering with an attack of heart trouble, is said to be in a critical condition. He has failed to rally to the treatment of physicians and his vitality is gradually being reduced.

Recommends Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

"My daughter 5 years of age used a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy a year ago last spring when she had whooping cough, and she recovered from the attack in a short time. Since then we have always kept a bottle of that remedy in the house and have used it with good results," writes Mrs. F. L. Newton, Irving, N. Y.—[Advertisement.

Wonder What a Man Window-Shopping Thinks About? - - - By BRIGGS.

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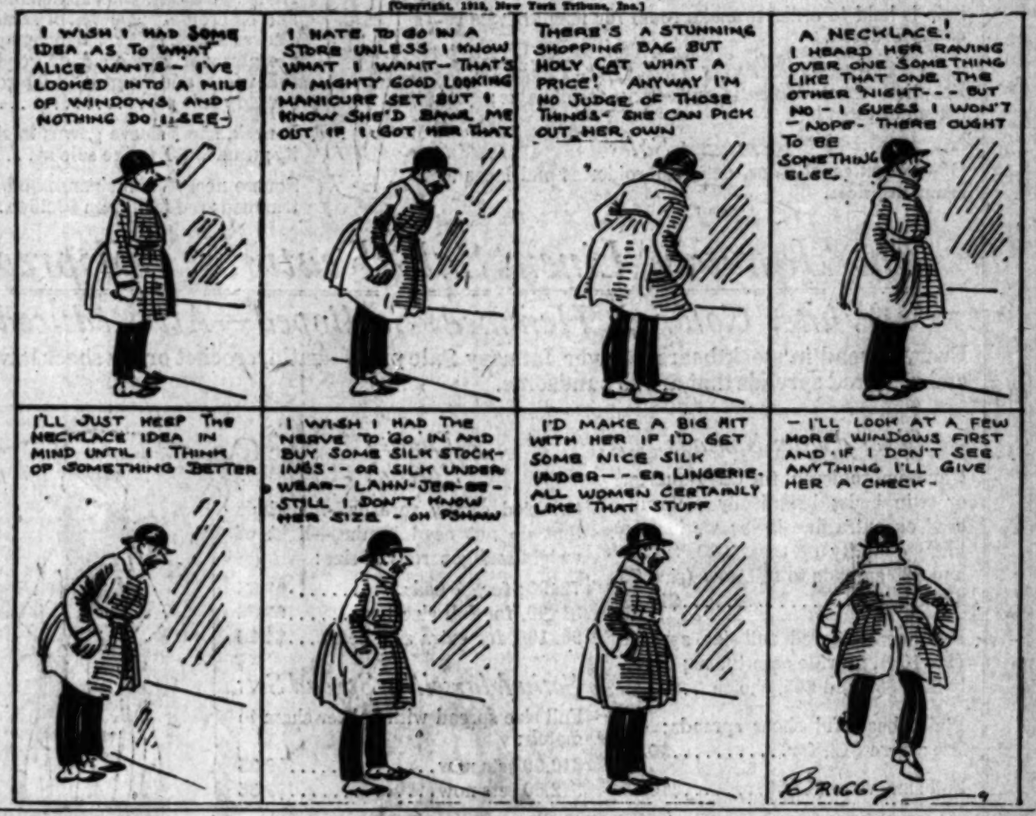

THE GUMPS—A MONEY BAG IS IN THEIR MIDST.

Looks Like Sir Sid will Have to Visit the Chemist After All - - - - - - - - By BUD FISHER.

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PROPOSE PARKS FOR HOLLYWOO

Association Officers Discu Plan with City Council.

Ask Assessment Districts Handle Improvements.

Last Hollywood Objects Section Being Included.

Officers of the Hollywood M... ...orial Park Association appear... ...fore the City Council, sitting as ...committee of the whole, yesterd... ...afternoon, to discuss the project ... ...forming two assessment districts ... ...acquiring properties in Hollywo... ...for park purposes. Mrs. Rollin ... ...tana, president of the associatio... ...and George H. Dunlop, a memb... ...of the executive committee, spok... ...for the plan.

It is proposed to acquire a tra... ...of land, 210x180 feet, adjoining th... ...Women's Club House, on which ... ...price of $50,000 has been set, and ... ...tract of thirty-two acres at Sunse... ...Boulevard and Bronson avenue... ...known as the Bessemeyer tract... ...priced at $250,000.

William Mead appeared to repre... ...the East Hollywood citizens, wh... ...do not wish to be included in an... ...adjacent district for parks, an... ...suggested that the lines of th... ...district do not extend east of Ne... ...Gardo avenue. The possibility o... ...making one assessment district fo... ...both parks was discussed and th... ...City Attorney will be asked for a... ...opinion on the legality of such ... ...plan. The matter was finally re... ...ferred to the Public Welfare Com...

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—SID GRAUMAN

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MATINEE DAILY—

PROPOSE PARKS FOR HOLLYWOOD

Recreation Officers Discuss Plan with City Council.

Assessment Districts to Handle Improvements.

Hollywood Objects to Section Being Included.

Officers of the Hollywood Municipal Park Association appeared before the City Council, sitting as a committee of the whole, yesterday afternoon, to discuss the project of creating two assessment districts to acquire properties in Hollywood for park purposes. Mrs. Rollin B. Lane, president of the association, and George H. Dunlop, a member of the executive committee, spoke in behalf of the plan.

It is proposed to acquire a tract about 1,111x190 feet, adjoining the Hollywood Club House, on which a price of $50,000 has been set, and a tract of thirty-two acres at Sunset Boulevard and Bronson avenue, known as the Bessemeyer tract, at about $200,000.

Those who appeared to represent Hollywood citizens, who wish to be included in any assessment district for parks, and opposed that the lines of the districts do not extend east of Normandie avenue. The possibility of creating one assessment district for both parks was discussed and the attorney will be asked for an opinion on the legality of such a plan. The matter was finally referred to the Public Welfare Committee and a committee from the association to decide upon boundary lines.

WILL FLY OVER CITY.

As a special compliment to Ormer L. Locklear, the world-famous aviator, who changes planes in mid-air, a flock of birdmen from De Mille Field No. 2, of the Mercury Aviation Company, will fly over Los Angeles today, distributing literature concerning Locklear's first motion-picture venture, "The Great Air Robbery," which will have its premiere at the Superba Theater Sunday. The big aerial scenes for the picture were made at the Mercury company's field, and many of the best-known flyers of the Southland risked their lives in doing stunts to furnish thrills for the "movie" fans.

WANTED: A JAIL FOR THE WETS.

Have no Place to Confine Liquor Violators at Andrade; Ask One.

An appeal was made to Customs Collector Elliott to build a jail at Andrade, on the Mexican border, for the confinement of those charged with violating the War-time Prohibition Act. The immediate demand for the construction of a detention place arises from the arrest of five men on this charge and the fact that there is no place to confine them in Andrade.

The town is without a jail or justice of the peace, and violators of the law have to be taken to El Centro, fifty miles away, where a United States commissioner is located.

S. CLAUS MAKES BELATED VISITS.

Pigs Among Gifts on Club's Christmas Tree.

More Orphans Entertained Aboard Big Ships.

Owl Employees are Given a Week's Extra Pay.

A "Jinks" party, to the tune of Christmas carols and with Santa Claus much in evidence, was staged at the City Club, yesterday afternoon. It was a combination of holiday good cheer, all-around fun, and good music, with a sprinkling of jazz, and was enjoyed by nearly 500 members and guests who thronged the rooms during the afternoon.

The affair began with a luncheon at noon. A large Christmas tree, beautifully decorated and filled with gifts, was a feature. From it came a most unusual assortment of presents to members and employees, including such trifles as live pigs, shirts and milk bottles.

W. E. Sibertson, chairman of the Entertainment Committee, and L. R. Wharton, chairman of the Music Committee, arranged for a programme that included operatic selections and Christmas carols by a chorus of sixteen, under the direction of Gage Christopher. The entire audience joined in the carol singing.

The high-lights of the entertainment were supplied by Will Rogers, the cowboy motion-picture star and wordy-gem merchant. A. G. Bartlett, president of the club, was presented with a fine piece of statuary. R. M. Greene, manager of the club, supervised the entertainment.

CRIPPLES MADE HAPPY.

Three score of little cripples were made happy at a dinner and party arranged for them by Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Shepherd, better known as R. D. MacLean and Odette Taylor, at their home, 1764 Sycamore avenue.

Brought from various institutions in automobiles provided by well-known society and moving-picture people, the little guests were given a fine dinner and entertainment, in which a distribution of dolls and gifts donated by Mary Pickford, Douglas Fairbanks, Pauline Fredericks and other film notables was a feature. The dolls donated by the "stars" were so popular that they had to be raffled off, the lucky persons holding the tickets for them obtaining the presents. There were plenty of gifts, however, and everyone was loaded with the best of everything. The children came from the different city institutions for the crippled, and late in the afternoon were carried back into automobiles and driven to their homes.

BY FIGHTERS.

Members of the Los Angeles Local One, Private Soldiers' and Sailors' Legion, assisted by local members of the National Enlisted Men's Auxiliary, staged an interesting affair at the Gamut Club House last night. The affair, officially known as the "First Annual Mummers' Parade," included an automobile parade and gay costumes, reinforced by a jazz band.

The Whittier State School for Boys celebrated its Christmas yesterday. Ball games in the morning, a dinner of roast pork and other good things to eat in the afternoon, and motion pictures, vaudeville acts and singing followed in the evening. Many gifts were distributed during the day.

Returned British soldiers celebrated the Christmas holiday with a programme at the Overseas Club rooms, 211 South Broadway, last evening. Brook Hawkins, president of the organization, arranged the details, and there was a Christmas tree, a big supper, entertainment and dance.

At the County Farm the Christmas spirit was not forgotten. Robert E. Lee Chapter, U.D.C., entertained several men there with baskets of goodies, songs and remembrances of the days gone by.

Employees of the Owl Drug Company earning less than $2500 a year were given a week's pay as a Christmas present. During the year five new Owl stores have been opened, making a total of thirty-two stores in all. Additional leases have been negotiated for more locations in Chicago, Minneapolis, St. Paul, Salt Lake City, Los Angeles, and Long Beach. The company also has just about completed the installation of its new manufacturing plant, whereby the output of its own products will be greatly increased by reason of more room and improved equipment.

The company also again reannounces its policy of filling physicians's prescriptions for the worthy poor free of charge. This plan has been in effect with the company now for ten years, and has been the object of favorable comment on the part of physicians in all parts of the United States.

'TIS HAPPY DAY.

Crews of the four dreadnaughts of the Pacific Fleet, now anchored at Los Angeles Harbor, who undertook the gigantic task of playing Santa Claus to 800 orphan boys, completed their Christmas entertainment yesterday when the men of the New Mexico and the Mississippi entertained several hundred homeless boys aboard ship.

The crew of the New Mexico, which is Admiral Rodman's flagship, and of the Mississippi completed the work started by the Idaho and the Texas, which entertained over 800 children on Christmas Day. The orphans were filled with a big turkey dinner, given toys and candy, and then entertained with a programme.

The Joseph Vukin Company, manufacturers of women's silk waists, 746 South Los Angeles street, gave its annual Christmas ball last night at Rutherford Hall for its 800 employees. There were more than 1400 persons in attendance. Vaudeville acts were staged between dances.

'TIS TIT FOR TAT IN DIVORCE SUIT.

Mrs. Charlotte E. Grant was granted a divorce from Victor J. Grant in Judge Crail's court yesterday. She testified that her husband had gone to another State and asked her to follow him, but she would not leave California. She also stated that he wanted exemption from the draft, but that she refused to sign for him. Later, when she became ill, she testified, he told her that as she would not do him a favor when he wanted it she would have to get along as best she could.

CHRISTMAS LOOT GOES IN TRUCKS.

Holiday Burglars Clean up Eleven Places in Night Raid at La Verne.

Eleven burglaries of stores and residences in La Verne, near Pomona, were reported to the Sheriff's office yesterday. According to the report, the burglars carried away their loot in motor trucks on Christmas night.

SIRENS SING, HORNS TOOT AS PIANO GOES.

FIREMEN BEAT THE POLICE MOVING INSTRUMENT TO LOS FELIZ HOME.

Considerable excitement was attached to the presentation of a piano by the women interested in the religious work of the Los Feliz Hospital, to the inmates of that institution on Christmas Day. It was thought a piano would be appreciated by the girls at the hospital and so money was raised and an instrument purchased.

Owing to the rush of Christmas shopping it was found impossible to deliver it Christmas eve and Dr. Powers of the health department was called on for suggestion. He consulted the fire and police departments and each promised to act.

Accordingly Wednesday evening a fire truck drove up to a fashionable Figueroa-street home and got the piano. The firemen made no secret of their visit and the neighbors turned out to watch. The firemen drove away with sirens singing and horns tooting.

A few minutes later the police department sent a truck that was equally bent on advertising its mission and again the neighbors took in the sights. The police found the piano had gone, but undaunted, they rang their bell and started in pursuit.

It is possible the two departments may go in to the rapid transfer business as the piano was quickly delivered.

SEARCHES FOR LOST PACIFIC CONTINENT.

PROF BRYAN SUSPECTS "BRIDGE BETWEEN SOUTH AMERICA AND HAWAII.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

BUENOS AIRES, Dec. 26.—Details of a lost continent in the Pacific Ocean, a 6000-mile prehistoric bridge of land between South America and Hawaii, long submerged, is being sought by an American scientist, William Allanson Bryan, professor of zoology and geology in the College of Hawaii, who left Honolulu last June on his remarkable quest.

Dr. Bryan, who came to Argentine by way of Mexico and the west coast of South America, where he studied volcano and Andean geology, is about to return to Valparaiso, where he will board a ship for the little island of Juan Fernandez, 400 miles out. The island is inhabited by a small colony of fishermen and their families.

"In the Philadelphia Academy of Natural Science," said the professor, "I was surprised a year ago to discover certain little fresh-water molluscs from Juan Fernandez that were extraordinarily similar to certain molluscs in Hawaii. So I determined to visit the island, study those shells, and its entire flora and fauna."

If the Juan Fernandez molluscs should prove to be closely allied with those of Hawaii, Dr. Bryan explained in an address here, it would prove that land connection had existed, as the species must have traveled from Juan Fernandez to Hawaii, or vice versa, by the rivers of the prehistoric continent.

MODESTO PAIR MUST GIVE UP SECURITIES.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 26.—After Mrs. Mary J. Dillon, aged Modesto woman, had testified in United States District Court here today that she had securities worth a total of $23,000 in safety deposit boxes in three San Francisco banks and additional money in a Modesto bank, Federal Judge Van Fleet ordered the money from all these places turned over to the United States Marshal here pending the outcome of cases involving Mrs. Dillon and Thomas B. Dillon.

The cases grew out of an original action in which a judgment of $21,000 was secured against the Dillons by Mrs. Norvena Lineker and Fred V. Lineker on account of a land transaction at Modesto.

Arguments for a new trial, under way today, were put over one week, following the order for the seizure of the money.

CHURCH PLANS GREAT CEREMONY IN WARSAW.

[BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

ROME, Dec. 26. — Cardinal Kakowski, archbishop of Warsaw, and Cardinal Blabor, archbishop of Posen, are arranging for a great ceremony when they return to Warsaw January 11. The cardinals were to take back with them a candle used in connection with the canonization of the Polish St. Clemafat, which has been preserved for fifty years at the Polish ecclesiastical college here by order of Pope Pius IX, until it could be taken back to the capital of a freed Poland.

All the Polish bishops and clergy and the civil and political authorities of Poland will participate in the function, at which will be read a document from Pope Benedict, expressing the pontiff's satisfaction at being able to witness the liberation of Poland and imparting to the country his apostolic benediction.

FALSE ARREST SUIT.

J. E. Kelly, a motion-picture director, filed suit against the Remayne Super Film Company yesterday, asking $25,000 damages for alleged false arrest and malicious prosecution. He says he was charged with petty larceny and later was discharged from arrest.

SAY FIUME HAS GROWN TIRED OF D'ANNUNZIO.

ITALIAN NEWSPAPERS DECLARE PEOPLE WANT THEIR STATUS SETTLED.

[BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

ROME, Dec. 26.—Fiume continues to monopolize most of the Italian newspapers, which are rather imperfectly informed concerning the developments there, but which declare the residents of the Adriatic town have become tired of Gabriele d'Annunzio, and what its future definitely decided.

The Messaggero says: "Amid so many proposals, the people of Fiume are tired and are invoking a speedy solution of the situation which will give them freedom and at the same time an immediate return to work and tranquillity."

The Giornale d'Italia appears today with 128 lines censored. This is under the heading "Communication from Command at Fiume."

Commenting on the situation, the Giornale says: "Premier Nitti is leaving the beginning of January for Paris. If the big question is settled from the internal viewpoint will this help him with the Allies?"

Premier Nitti expressed the opinion today that from 12,000,000,000 to 15,000,000,000 lire would be subscribed to the Victory Loan, the sale of which begins January 5. On his return from the visit he is to make to Paris and London early in January, Premier Nitti will undertake a speaking tour on behalf of the loan. He expects large subscriptions will be received from Italians abroad.

CHICAGO TUBERCULAR REGULATIONS SEVERE.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 6.—Once again the health department has stepped in to separate a family. Mrs. Walter Kalis, 3027 Iowa street, said to be suffering from tuberculosis, is in the County Hospital, while others are caring for her 14-month-old baby.

When Kalis, who is a tool and die maker, reached his home yesterday, having been summoned by neighbors, he found his baby alone in the house and crying. Neighbors told him that physicians from the health department had removed his wife.

"We didn't know my wife had tuberculosis until after the birth of the baby," said Kalis. "The neighbors told me she asked permission of the doctors to call me before they took her away, but they only laughed at her, wrapped a sheet about her nightgown and hurried her away."

At the health department Dr. Robertson said the mother was taken away to protect the child. He said it would not have been necessary if the family had heeded repeated warnings.

Some time ago William Forrestral was separated from his bride-to-be on the eve of their wedding.

"FADED" THE CAPTAIN.

Reunion of Overseas Company Saw "Galloping Dominoes."

The tables were being cleared in a Kansas City hotel after the first annual reunion banquet of an overseas company armistice night.

"Who's got the gallopers?" someone called.

The remark seemed familiar to everyone present, although the men did not belong to a cavalry unit.

A handsome pair of "galloping dominoes" was produced. With the efficiency said to have been a mark of the A.E.F., a group formed quickly in the center of the room, the men crouching in close formation like "doughboys" preparing to go over the top. The room where business men meet often to promote important civic projects, soon echoed such strange calls as "Jimmy needs a new pair of shoes. Come !!"

There seemed nothing strange to the group in the procedure. One man remarked, "It's just like old times again."

But there was a difference. No one was worried because the captain sat at a table watching. As he approached there was no scramble to get the money out of sight. Even Sam, who had been exceptionally nervous after the captain had court-martialed him for "shooting craps" did not look up.

The captain, who, they had often said, was "hard boiled," joined the group and shouted a sharp command. It was "Come seven!" and it was addressed to the "dominoes." "Shoot right out, captain," said Sam, grimly. "You're faded."

Ten minutes later Sam emerged from the group triumphant. In his fist was a wad of bills. "I knocked the old boy in the creek for ten smacks," he yelled. Peace had come into one heart at least.—[Kansas City Star.

CONFEDERATE GENERAL DIES.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

RICHMOND (Va.) Dec. 26.—Brig.-Gen. William Ruffin Cox, one of the ranking officers of the Confederate Army, died tonight, aged 72 years. Gen. Cox was credited with having been the last Confederate officer to cease fighting at Appomattox Courthouse, prolonging the conflict for some time after Gen. Lee had surrendered. After the close of the war, Gen. Cox became prominent in politics in North Carolina. He served several terms in Congress and was secretary of the U. S. Senate under both Democratic and Republican administrations.

SATISFACTORY TO ALL.

The spats idea is spreading; dealers here declare they are doing a great business in this accessory to the footwear business. One well-known shoeman said to me today:

"A nice-looking pair of spats makes a poor-looking pair of shoes look respectable. Women especially are taking to the idea; they are wearing their old shoes, their oxfords and their pumps, to beat the high cost of walking. More men, too, are wearing spats. Some of them clung to their low shoes until the weather became too cold, then they invested a couple of dollars in the camouflage coverings, and the result is satisfactory to all parties concerned." —[Unidentified.

Different Attitudes.

"When I was at Gabby's the other day he was telling how at the front he had so strictly obeyed military discipline that he often stood at attention while the shells were exploding all around him."

"I suspect now he is lying at ease."—[Baltimore American.

The Situation.

"Why do they call it a horse show?"

"Why not?"

"Girls and clothes predominate. The horses have no show."—[Louisville Courier-Journal.

ALICE NIELSEN IS IN VIVACIOUS MOOD.

OPERA STAR WILL LEAVE FOR THE NORTH TONIGHT.

Alice Nielsen, popular and beloved operatic star, who has been at the Alexandria Hotel for several days, will leave this evening for British Columbia, where she will continue her concert tour, begun several weeks ago, when she bid a temporary farewell to her home in New York. She will not sing in California this season, unless at San Francisco for an orchestral engagement, but she will return to Los Angeles next year, when she will appear in recital.

Dr. LeRoy R. Stoddard, Miss Nielsen's husband, is with her, having come West to perform corrective operations on maimed soldiers in San Francisco and Santa Barbara. Dr. Stoddard has accomplished wonders in his humane profession, and last evening showed many of his films at the Hampton studios, which give evidence of the transformations he has wrought in maimed countenances.

Alice Nielsen is as charming and vivacious as usual. Of her voice she says: "I am singing better every day;" and of her appearance, "I have nothing to fear from the advance of time. Old age has no terrors for me. I have seen too much of what can be done to rejuvenate faces. When I am old I shall retire to the country for a week, and at the end of that time you will read my birth certificate in the paper. I shall be ready then for any part, and shall not hesitate to play 'Little Eva.'"

Although now on a recital tour, Alice Nielsen is loyal to opera. In fact loyalty is an outstanding characteristic of the singer. In speaking of her voice specialist, of Eleanora Duse, whom the singer knows and loves well, and even of the pet Chow dog, which she has left with Maxine Elliot, Miss Nielsen has only the warmest tenderness. D'Annunzio, poet and patriot, is the only person for whom Miss Nielsen expressed distaste.

"He resided in a beautiful villa forty miles from Rome when I was there, living in the same spot, and he is the most conceited man in the world. He thinks every woman, especially every American girl, is in love with him. He asked me one moonlight evening if I had ever been in love, and I said, 'Oh, Lord, yes,' in a way which dampened his ardor."

Miss Nielsen says that she will not go in for the cinema. She would rather sing, and she doubts if it is possible to do both.

SENTIMENT MARKS GIFT TO CLARK.

A beautifully-bound book, made to order at Brentano's, in New York, with illuminated text on parchment, setting forth an appreciation of his accomplishment in founding the Philharmonic Orchestra, was the gift to W. A. Clark, Jr., of members of the organization. Walter Henry Rothwell, the director, arranged for carrying out the conception of a gift, which was his own idea. The signature of every player in the orchestra, closing with that of L. E. Behymer, the manager, was appended to the appreciation.

The book also contained the first programme followed. The dedication was in part as follows:

"To say that music is the universal language is merely to repeat a worn platitude. But the old truism is given new significance in these chaotic days. Now, more than ever, when men's faiths have been tried and a new feeling for tolerance and brotherhood is sweeping the world, it is natural that men should turn with renewed fervor to the oldest and most communal of arts.

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HORSE RESENTS STAR'S NEW MOUNTAIN METHOD

Turn about may be fair play, but being jumped on by a horse is not an altogether pleasant affair—even in the movies. If it wasn't for the fact that Al St. John, comedy star, is used to all sorts of hard knocks, he, too, would feel peevish about it, he said last night.

One really couldn't blame the horse. Al St. John was filming a scene in which he is dropped from an airplane and lands upon the horse's back, where a beautiful maiden is awaiting him. The scene was set at the Anderson ranch, near Newhall, yesterday, and Al dropped, all right, and landed on the horse's back. Betty Brown, a member of Mr. St. John's company, was already astride of the animal. The sudden landing caused the horse to go upward, and Mr. St. John earthward. When the comedy star extricated himself he had a badly lacerated hip, and called it a day's work.

SINGERS' CHRISTMAS GIFTS.

Christmas carols were sung in the good old-fashioned English custom on Christmas Eve before the dwellings of some who were unable to enter the season's festivities, by members of the Los Angeles Oratorio Society, under the direction of their conductor, Mr. John Smallman. They visited the Children's Hospital, the Santa Fe Hospital, the Catholic Orphans, the Maternity Cottage, White Men's Hospital, Home for Women, Hollenbeck Home, the County Hospital, and others. Afterward, at the home of Mrs. Moses, on the corner of Sixteenth and Gramercy, they had refreshments and a Christmas frolic of their own. About eighty persons were present.

BEATING THE COURTS.

Reconciliation is Method Used to Make French Couples Happy.

The stories of divorce court cases that appear in Britain and America are never to be seen in France. Yet in France there are now 80,000 cases before what are described as the "reconciliation courts."

The work of these courts is to bring the unhappy couples together, to thrash out the causes of separation and to give advice in the hope that all grievances will be forgiven and husband and wife once more be restored to marital happiness.

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DAILY TRADE TALK.

Foreign Exchange is Big 1920 Problem; a Year of Building.

BY CHAPIN HALL.

Whether or not the putting into effect of the Edge bill will have a material effect upon our foreign trade relations, or whether the exchange rate will be materially stabilized by the functioning of the new law remains to be seen, but financiers are willing to admit that it is at least a step in the right direction.

There is no question that the exchange collapse is the most serious condition which faces the financial world at the beginning of the new year. Everyone admits it; everyone agrees that something must be done about it, but no one seems to be at all sure just what form this remedy must take.

If our industries are to be kept running at full production we must have access to the great foreign market which is waiting for us, but we cannot take complete advantage of this market until the American dollar comes into reasonable juxtaposition with the units of values established by other countries.

At the present time it looks as though the formation of gigantic holding companies, with authority to issue debentures until such time as the balance of trade is restored, is the logical system. These intermediaries would act as the buffer between the trading countries, and through them the slack might, perhaps, be absorbed.

In any event something must be done to relieve the present impossible situation, which is costing, and will cost this country millions in trade which we should have and to which we are entitled. In spite of the foreign exchange situation we are doing a tremendous business with the rest of the world. The value of exports for last month was $741,000,000, an increase of $105,000,000 over the preceding month, and $219,000,000 over the same month last year. Exports this year will amount to about $8,000,000,000, which will be twice as much as the imports.

Aside from this feature, we turn the leaf in good order and with most encouraging prospects for another year of continued prosperity. The railroad situation is still somewhat muddled, and there are disquieting suggestions of labor disturbances, but after the trials and tribulations of 1919, the financial world is facing the coming twelvemonth with considerable equanimity.

Our National Forests.

Receipts from grazing privileges in our national forests now exceed those from timber by more than $1,000,000, and form 59 per cent. of the total receipts. This is due to the fact that practically the entire forage crop can be utilized, while the annual timber cut is but an insignificant fraction of the sustained yield obtainable from the forests, or of the total cut of the country. In California the forest service has reduced, in the past twelve years, the annual fire destruction of merchantable timber in the national forests by 81 per cent., or 94,000,000 feet. It is estimated, however, that ground fires in this State actually destroy on the average, 1183 feet of timber per acre per year to the value of $4.45 per acre.

Building Operations.

November building permits in 193 leading cities of the country, according to the current number of the American Contractor, show a gain of 717 per cent. over 1918 operations. The value of these permits for the month was approximately $150,000,000, a decrease of about $6,000,000 from October. In general the fluctuation is less in the most important cities, which is a hopeful sign for further and increased activity.

Wild Bulls and Bears.

While the local stock exchange is at holiday recess, the bulls and bears are spending their time endeavoring to fathom the unfathomable, i.e., to peer beyond the veil of 1920 in an effort to discover which way the cat will jump. The local market has escaped the madhouse conditions which have prevailed in New York during the past two months, and the listings of the Los Angeles exchange have been sustained remarkably well. Of course, there have been sympathetic breaks, and a general decline from the high level which prevailed during the late summer and early fall, but those who were able to hold on and did not become panic-stricken, have come to a realization that the silver lining is not altogether eclipsed. There has been very little liquidation in the local market, which is probably the chief reason for the splendid shape in which it finds itself, considering the catastrophism which overtook the gamesters on the eastern seaboard. Our local securities are, for the most part, well based, and with actual values behind them they are sure to come back. At large the outlook for securities in the immediate future is dubious. The professionals are active in applying pressure, and the public is worried over the falling exchanges, which, if not checked, will, in due course, affect the earnings of industrial concerns through slowing down our international trade. The failure of Congress to do anything constructive to the credit situation, the peace treaty, League of Nations, railroads and other vitally important matters is disturbing, and unusual caution should be exercised when investing in purely speculative stocks likely to be affected by these conditions.

New Bond Department.

The Bank of Italy in Los Angeles has decided to enter the bond business actively in this city, business of this character having formerly been handled largely through the San Francisco office. Leo V. Beldon, manager of the bond department for the bank is here for the purpose of establishing a branch. Harold Hunt, formerly of Spencer, Trask & Co., it is announced, will be the manager of the office, which will give special attention to Southern California issues. Several Los Angeles banks have opened bond departments during the past six months, and in every instance they appear to have met a real demand on the part of customers of the institutions involved.

Dollars for China.

Three million silver dollars were shipped from San Francisco to China yesterday, under arrangement with the United States government to stabilize far eastern exchange.

Luxury Taxes.

Here's a tip when you come to figure income tax. Luxury taxes may be deducted. Christmas buying was so heavy that in many cases these taxes amount to a considerable sum and may be included in the amount of income exempt from taxation.

Another Twelfth District Record.

Banks of the Twelfth Federal Reserve District have subscribed more tha $50,000,000 to Series T-J, 1920 treasury certificates of indebtedness, subscriptions to which closed last night. This is a record, according to the Federal Reserve Bank, in the sale of treasury certificates of indebtedness in the district. Preliminary reports to Washington indicate that the country has subscribed more than $700,000,000. Final figures will show a total subscriptions close to a billion dollars. The certificates run for six months, being dated December 15, 1919, and maturing June 15, 1920, and bear 4½ per cent. There was no specific amount offered. All subscriptions, it wass aid, would be allotted in full.

Stevens-Duryea Issue.

The new $3,000,000 issue of 7 per cent. preferred and $1,500,000 class A common, of no par value, to sell at $50 per share, which is being distributed by the H. W. Dubiske Company is finding ready acceptance in Los Angeles and vicinity, where the local office expects to close out its allotment in a few weeks. A permit for the sale of this offering came down from the Corporation Commissioner on Tuesday and since that day the sale has been brisk.

A Healthy Home Company.

The Southern California Edison

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LATEST PRICES ON BUTTER AND EGGS.

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 26.—Butter, creamery extras, Produce Exchange closing price, 67 per lb.

Eggs — Fresh extras, Produce Exchange closing price, 60 per doz.; case count, Produce Exchange closing price, 60 per doz.; pullets, Produce Exchange closing price, 57 per doz.

Cheese — California flats, 30 per lb.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 26.—Butter, 66. Eggs, fresh extras, 66; extra pullets, 56.

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—Butter firm; creamery higher than extras, 71@71½; extras, 70½; firsts, 61@69. Eggs firmer; fresh gathered extras, 75; do., extra firsts, 73@74; do., firsts, 70@72. Cheese steady, unchanged.

CHICAGO, Dec. 26.—Butter unsettled; creamery, 55@63. Eggs unsettled; receipts, 1160 cases; firsts, 67@68; ordinary firsts, 56@61; at mark, cases included, 64@67.

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 26.—Butter unchanged; extras, 63; firsts, 61; seconds, 60; packing, 45. Eggs unchanged; firsts, 62; seconds, 43. Poultry unchanged; hens, 21@24; roosters, 14@21; broilers, 30.

LATEST NEWS OF FOOD PRICES.

The first break in the butter market for some time came yesterday when a one-cent drop registered. The continued warm weather is having a good effect on the ranges, but more rain is needed. Eggs also came down one cent. The best butter may now be purchased in some retail markets for 70 and 71 cents and fresh eggs from 63 to 65 cents. Eggs are 6 cents cheaper than in San Francisco. Butter is one cent higher.

Hawaiian sugar is beginning to arrive, but the January price is still undetermined. If it is regulated by the New York market as formerly it will be around 17 or 18 cents per pound locally. According to New York advices, this will be the retail basis for the Cuban crop, which supplies the Atlantic seaboard.

FINANCIAL.

OFFICE OF THE TIMES.
Los Angeles, Dec. 27, 1919.

Bank clearings yesterday were $13,709,709.70, an increase of $6,797,500.52, as compared with corresponding day in 1918.

	1919.	1918.	1917.
Monday	$10,040,912.88	$5,156,020.81	$4,602,509.63
Tuesday	10,050,757.54	4,904,590.71	Holiday
Wednesday	8,978,590.20	Holiday	5,406,363.70
Thursday	Holiday.		
Friday	13,709,709.70	4,971,209.29	4,304,514.79

COTTON TRADING BRISK ON NEW YORK MARKET.

EXCHANGES CLOSED IN NEW ORLEANS AND LIVERPOOL HAVE STRONG EFFECT.

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—With the cotton markets at New Orleans and Liverpool closed, trading in cotton in New York was quite active at the outset today, with prices up 2 to 17 points. Quotations at the end of the first fifteen minutes were fully 15 points above initial levels.

The steamer Sulton Castle has arrived in New York from China with 1200 bales of Chinese cotton.

In the Philadelphia market cotton yarns are quiet, but a general resumption of buying is expected after the first of the year.

Trading became more active with the firmer tone of the stock market. The advance extended to 37.50 cents for January, or a new high for that delivery for the season. Later months showed even greater gains, with March touching 33.56 cents and with the general list selling about 33 to 62 points net higher. Business tapered off at this level and the market showed reactions of 10 or 12 points around midday.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Previous Close.
January	37.00	34.70	37.00	38.01	37.55
March	33.50	34.00	33.50	34.00	33.56
May	32.70	33.00	32.70	33.00	32.65
July	31.95	31.90	31.95	31.95	31.95
October	29.75	29.75	29.75	29.75	29.75
Spot				35.20	36.15

LIQUIDATE CORN FOR FUTURES OF JANUARY.

NEWS LARGELY IN FAVOR OF OF SHORT SELLERS; PRICES DOWN GRADE.

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 26.—Liquidation in corn and especially in January futures of all grains was on today. News was largely in favor of the short sellers and prices were on the down grade most of the day with the close near the bottom at fourth of 2@4 cents on cash corn, 2¾@4¾ cents on futures, January leading. ¾@1¾ cent on oats, 1¾ cents on rye and 2¾@4¾ cents lower on barley, the latter on December.

Only prices were weaker and lower in sympathy with corn, closing at the low point of ¾ cent above.

Corn—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
December	1.56¾	1.56¾	1.51¾	1.51¾
January	1.56¾	1.56¾	1.51¾	1.51¾
May	1.56¾	1.56¾	1.51¾	1.51¾
July	1.56	1.56	1.51¾	1.51¾
Oats—				
December	.51¾	.52¼	.51¾	.52¼
May	.53¾	.54¾	.53¾	.54¾
July	.53¾	.54¾	.53¾	.54¾

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—Wheat steady; No. 2 red, 2.50 f.o.b. steamer, New York. Corn, spot, easy; No. 2 yellow, 1.60¾ and No. 3 white, 1.59¾ c.i.f. New York. Oats, spot, barely steady; No. 1 white, 98.

MILO BREAKS SHARPLY; BARLEY IS WEAKER.

The increased receipts of milo yesterday, the weaker tone in the Chicago market, and the general readjustment of holdings brought Milo prices down. Barley declined to some extent, but maintained a generally firm undertone. Immediate shipment Milo was from $1 to $1.25 per ton lower, with cars on track and for fifteen days' delivery $1.50 per ton lower. Barley and oats futures ranged from $1 to $2 per ton lower, with immediate Milo bringing $3.50@3.75, and the second half of March $3.10. Barley for immediately shipment was unchanged to 50 cents per ton lower, with the futures nearby from 50 to 75 cents per ton below Wednesday's prices. Three hundred tons of Milo were sold. There was no sale of oats or barley.

DAILY BOARD QUOTATIONS.

Arrivals—Wheat, 0; barley, 4; corn, 7; milo maize, 59; flour, 10; bran, 1; rice products, 2; C. S. meal products, 15; poultry feed, 1; total, 81 cars.

Wheat—	Bid.	Asked.
California red	$ 2.20	$ 2.45
No. 2 white		2.37½
Barley—		
Egyptian corn	2.47½	2.61
Hyrria	2.20	2.30
Cottonseed cake	67.50	71.00
Cottonseed cake		71.00
No. 2 eastern milo, bulk		3.05
Oil meal—		
Local	62.00	
Northern rail	62.00	
Coast rail	62.00	64.00
Utah-Idaho S. P. dir	53.00	55.00
With Los Angeles dir	62.50	
Without Los Angeles dir	62.50	
Milo maize, carlots—		
On track	2.90	2.95
In transit	2.90	3.00
10-day shipment		3.00
15-day shipment	2.92½	2.95½
20-day shipment	2.90	3.00
Barley—		
On track	2.72	
In transit	2.72	2.83
10-day shipment	2.72	2.81
15-day shipment		2.79½
20-day shipment	2.76½	2.77½

FUTURE DELIVERIES, 140-TON LOTS.

Milo—	Bid.	Asked.
All December	2.90	2.95
All January	2.90	2.92½
All February	2.87½	2.90
All March	2.87½	2.90
Second half March	2.87½	2.11½
Barley—		
All December	2.72½	2.87½
All January	2.72	2.80
All February	2.77½	
All March	2.80½	2.82½
All June	2.10	2.17½
All August		2.00

YESTERDAY'S SALES.

Milo—	
1 car on track	$2.95
1 car 15-day	2.93
1 car all December	2.95
100 tons all February	2.90
100 tons second half March	2.10

COTTONSEED OIL CLOSE.

Spot, 21.00@22.50; December, 21.00@22.00; January, 21.50@21.95; February, 21.80@21.95; March, 22.20@22.25; April, 22.20@22.25; April, 22.20@22.50; May, 22.15@22.35; June, 22.15@22.40; July, 22.30@22.40. Sales, 13,400. Market easy.

PRODUCE MOVES ON SLUGGISH DEMAND.

OVERSUPPLY OF POTATOES AND A DULL DEMAND MAY WEAKEN PRICES.

Trading was very quiet on the local produce market yesterday. The offerings of the farmers and wholesalers moved very slowly on a dull buying demand, and prices remained steady only because arrivals from the country were very light. For the most part, Wednesday's prices ruled the market. The fact that receipts of letters have been very small during the past two days caused prices for this commodity to advance. Field grades brought $1.90 each, the fancy stock remaining firm at $1.05 per crate. Cauliflower remained practically unchanged, although most of the offerings from the country brought $2.25 per crate. Sweet potatoes also moved up under a firm demand, selling at prices ranging from 90 cents to $1.15 per lug box. Owing to the very heavy supplies of potatoes on the market at present, many dealers are anticipating a drop in prices within the next week. The arrivals on Christmas Day and yesterday totaled sixty-one carloads, with eighty-nine cars still on track. Equally heavy arrivals are expected during the next few days. At the present high prices for the market is practically at a standstill. Demand is very dull; retailers are buying only enough to supply their daily needs. Present conditions, therefore, are favorable for a decline in price, and if the arrivals continue in their present proportions the decline will come, it is believed, within the next few days.

DAILY MARKET REPORT.

These are the actual prices obtained yesterday by Los Angeles wholesalers for their sales to retailers, peddlers, hotels, restaurants, cafeterias, etc. Terms—Cash on the wall:

APPLES—Arrivals since Tuesday's report: 10 cars California, 5 cars Oregon, arrived. California, 4-tier Ballenger, 1.60@2.00; mostly 1.90@2.00; 4¼-4½ tiers 1.50@1.75; loose 4¾½ per lb.; Gano, Ben Davis, Jonathan, Winesap, Rome Beauty, Delicious, extra fancy, 2.25@2.40; fancy, 2.00@2.25; choice, 1.75@2.00; 4¼-4½ tiers per lb., 7@7½; mixed varieties, extra fancy, 2.25@2.40; fancy, 2.00@2.25; choice, 2.75@3.00; 4¼@4½ per lb.; Delicious, extra fancy, 2.50@2.60; fancy, 2.25@2.50; choice, 2.75@3.00; 4¼@4½ per lb.; Ben Davis,

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NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—Resumption of trading on the stock exchange after the Christmas recess was attended by greater activity and broader operations, due chiefly to renewed demand for railroad issues.

President Wilson's proclamation restoring the return of those properties to private ownership on March 1 stimulated the entire transportation division, the buying soon being followed by railroad equipments and allied stocks.

Marine, shippings, oils, motors and numerous peace industrials were added to the list in the course of the rise, together with food products and issues of no definite character.

Large deposits of holiday or "Christmas" funds are expected to offset last week's depletion of bank reserves, but call money rose to 6 per cent after opening at 10, and the maximum rate at times. Sales amounted to 1,250,000 shares.

Dealings in foreign exchange were comparatively small, but the British rate weakened moderately on reports that plans to establish credits on London had met with unexpected obstacles.

Liberty Bonds were steady, and foreign features less, but the general domestic list hardened on further buying of speculative rails. Total sales, par value, totalled $32,600,000. Old United States bonds were unchanged on call.

Mercantile paper, unchanged. Sterling, demand, $3.79¾; cables, $3.81. Time loans, strong, unchanged. Call money, strong; high, 15; low, 10; ruling rate, 10; closing bid, 14; offered at 15; last loan, 15.

Prices of Liberty Bonds at 2:55 p.m. today were: 3½'s, 99.40; First 4's, 92.50; Second 4's, 91.44; First 4 1-4's, 93.16; Second 4 1-4's, 91.84; Third 4 1-4's, 93.70; Fourth 4 1-4's, 91.60; Victory 3¾'s, 99.04; Victory 4¾'s, 99.10.

Evaporated apples, quiet; prunes, steady; apricots and peaches, quiet; raisins, firm.

Bar Silver, $1.32½. Mexican dollars, $1.01¼.

STOCK QUOTATIONS IN NEW YORK CITY.

[Furnished by Logan & Bryan, Members New York and Boston Stock Exchanges, Van Nuys Bldg. Los Angeles.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—Following are the closing prices and high and low quotations today:

	Sales.	High.	Low.	Close.
Allis-Chalmers	200	82¾	82	82¾
Am Beet Sugar	100	1¾	1¾	1¾
Am Can	2	2	2	2
Am Car & Fdy	01			
Am Cot Oil	100	172¼	172¼	172¼
Am Ice Sec				
Am Int Corp				
Am Linseed				
Am Loco				
Am Smelting				
Am Steel Fdy				
Am Sugar				
Am Tel & Tel				
Am Tobacco				
Am Woolen				
Anaconda				
Atchison				
Atlantic Gulf				
Baldwin Loco				
Baltimore & Ohio				
Bethlehem Steel B				
Butte & Sup				
Calif Petroleum				
Canadian Pac				
Central Leather				
Chandler				
Chesapeake & Ohio				
Chi Mil & St P				
Chi R I & Pac				
Chino Copper				
Colorado Fuel				
Columbia Gas				
Consolidated Gas				
Corn Products				
Crucible Steel				
Cuba Cane Sug				
Cuba Cane Sug pf				
Cuba Cane Sug rts				
Cuba Dist				
Del & Hud				
Del Lack & W				
Denver & R G				
Dome Mines				
Erie				
Erie 1st pf				
Fisher Body				
Gen Asphalt				
Gen Electric				
Gen Motors				
Goodrich				
Great Nor pf				
Great Nor ore				
Gulf States Steel				
Hide & Leather				
Hide & Leather pf				
Houston Oil				
Illinois Central				
Inspiration				
Int Harvester				
Int Mer Marine				
Int Mer Marine pf				
Int Nickel				
Int Paper				
Kan City Sou				
Kan City Sou pf				
Kelly Springfield				
Kennecott				
Lackawanna Steel				
Lehigh Valley				
Loose-Wiles				
Louisville & Nash				
Mack Trucks				
Marine				
Marine pf				
Max Motor A				
Max Motor B				
Mex Petroleum				
Miami Copper				
Midvale Steel				
Missouri Pac				
Missouri Pac pf				
Nat Acme				
Nat Biscuit				
Nat Conduit & C				
Nat Enamel & S				
Nat Lead				
N Y Air Brake				
N Y Central				
N Y N H & Hart				
Norfolk & West				
Northern Pac				
Pacific Gas & Elec				
Pacific Mail				
Pan-Am Petroleum				
Pan-Am Petroleum B				
Penn R R				
Pittsburgh Coal				
Pittsburgh Coal pf				
Pittsburgh & W Va				
Pittsburgh & W Va pf				
Pressed Steel Car				
Pullman Co				
Ray Con Copper				
Reading				
Republic Iron & S				
Republic Iron & S pf				
Sears-Roebuck				
Shattuck Ariz				
Sinclair Oil & R				
Southern Pac				
Southern Ry				
Southern Ry pf				
Stand Oil of Cal				
Stand Oil of N J				
Stand Oil of N Y				
Studebaker				
Tenn Copper				
Texas Co				
Texas & Pac				
Third Ave				
Tobacco Prod				
Tobacco Prod pf				
Transcontinental Oil				
Union Pac				
Union Pac pf				
U S Alcohol				
U S Cast Iron Pipe				
U S Food Prod				
U S Ind Alcohol				
U S Rubber				
U S Rubber 1st pf				
U S Smelting				
U S Steel				
U S Steel pf				
Utah Copper				
Utah Metals				
Vanadium				
Va-Car Chem				
Va-Car Chem pf				
Wabash				
Wabash pf A				
Wabash pf B				
Weber & Mont				
Western Union				
Westinghouse				
Willys-Overland				
Wilson & Co				
Wilson & Co pf				
Woolworth				
Worthington				
Worthington pf				
Total sales				

*Ex-rights.
Total sales of stocks—1,370,100 shares.
Total sales of bonds—$34,315,000.

STOCKS AND BONDS IN SAN FRANCISCO.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 26.—Following are today's transactions and sales on the San Francisco Stock Exchange:

Bonds—	Bid.	Asked.
Liberty Loan 3½s	99	
Liberty Loan 1st 4s, 1932-47	90	90¼
Cal. Gas & Electric Unif. & Ref. Ms, Ser. 1937	80¼	80¾
Cal. Edison Co. 1st Mtg. 5s, 1937	90	
Pac. Federal Trust Co. 1st Mtg. 6s, 1937	100	
S. P. 1st Mtg. 4s, 1949	71	72
Pac. Gas Imp. Co. 1st Mtg. 6s, 1937	104¼	105¼
Great Western Power Co. 1st Mtg. 5s, 1946	84¾	85
Pac. Gas & Elec. Gen. 5s, 1942	80	
S. F. Gas & Elec. Co. 1st Mtg. 5s, 1942	84¾	85¼
Pacific Gas & Electric Co. Gen. & Ref. 5s, 1942	84¾	85¼
Pacific Light & Power Co. 1st Mtg. 5s, 1942	84¾	85¼
Pacific Gas & Electric Co. Gen. & Ref. 5s, 1942	84¾	85¼
Oro Loma Sugar Co. 1st Mtg. 6s, 1937	84¾	85¼
Western Pacific Ry. Co. 1st, 1946	84¾	85¼

SALES.

Afternoon session—Stocks: 1000 U. S. Government 3½s at 99¾; 1000 do. 1st 4s of 1947 at 93¾, 1000 do. 2nd 4s of 1925 at 91¼; 15,500 do. 1st 4s of 1947 at 91; 2000 do. 2nd 4s of 1925 at 91; 1000 do. 1st 4s of 1947 at 91¼; 5000 do. 2nd 4s of 1925 at 91; 24,000 do. 1st 4s of 1947 at 91¼; 6000 do. 2nd 4s of 1925 at 91¼; 14,000 General Petroleum 6s at 101½; 20,000 Market Street Railway 1st Con. Mtg. 5s at 51; 2000 Pacific Light & Power 1st 5s at 84¾; 1000 Pacific Tel. & Tel. 1st 5s at 100; 1000 Southern Pacific Co. Gen. 4s at 80¼; 1000 Stanislaus Water Power Co. Gen. 5s at 80; 1000 Union Sugar Co. 1st 5s at 90¼; 1000 Western Pacific R. R. Co. 1st 5s at 84¾. Stocks: 20 Amalgamated Oil at 20¾; 50 Associated Oil Co. at 110¾; 20 Cal. Packers Corp., common at 95¾; 200 do. at 95¾; 50 Getty Petroleum at 165; 40 Hale Bros. at 30; 25 Hobart Estate, common at 161¾; 40 Home Fire & Marine Insurance at 48; 10 Hutchinson Sugar Plantation at 44¾; 100 Pantages & P. Co. at 18; 120 Pacific Gas & Electric 1st pfd. at 87¼; 50 Pacific Gas & Electric common at 50; 40 do. at 49; 1400 Pioneer Mill Co., Ltd., at 158¾; 20 Union Oil Co. of D.-Stamps at 80; 100 do. at 30¾; 5 do. at 30¾; 50 Union Sugar Co. at 57¾.

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LISTED NEW YORK BOND QUOTATIONS.

[Furnished by Logan & Bryan, Members New York and Boston Stock Exchanges, Van Nuys Bldg. Los Angeles.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—Following are quotations on active bonds today:

Bonds—	Bid.	Asked.
Amer Smelt. & Ref. 5s	84¾	85
Amer. Tel. Cal. 5s, 1946	79¾	79¾
Armour 4½s, 1939	81¾	82
Atchison Gen. 4s, 1995	74¾	....
B. & O. Ref. 5s, 1995	79¾	....
B. & O. Conv. 4½s, 1933	87¾	88
Cal. Gas Unifying, 5s, 1937	80¾	80¾
C., M. & St. P. Conv. 4½s, 2014	64¾	65
C., M. & St. P. Gen. & Ref. 4½s, 2014	57¾	58¾
C., R. I. & P. Ref. 4s, 1934	60	60
D. & R. G. Col. 4s, 1936	65¾	66
Gen. Electric 4½s, 1965	92¾	93
Illinois Central Joint 5s, 1953	82¾	83
Missouri Pacific Ref. 5s, 1923	91¾	92¾
Missouri Pacific Ref. 5s, 1926	82¾	83
Missouri Pacific Gen. 4s, 1975	58¾	59
Northern Pacific P. L. 4s, 1997	77¾	78
Pacific Gas. Gen. 5s, 1942	80	81¾
Russian Int. 5½s, 1926	21	24
Russian Ext. 5½s, 1921	21	24
Rio Grande Western 1st 4s, 1939	74¾	75
St. L. & S. F. P. L. 4s, 1950	57	57¾
St. L. & S. W. Ref. 4s, 1955	58¾	59
St. L. & S. F. Adj. 6s, 1960	42¾	43
St. L. & S. F. Gen. 6s, 1980	42¾	43
St. L. S. W. Inter. 5s, 1952	58¾	59
Southern Pacific Conv. 5s, 1934	101¾	101¾
Southern Pacific Ref. 4s, 1955	77	77¾
Union Pacific 1st 4s, 1947	84¾	84¾
Western Pacific 5s, 1946	80¾	81
W. U. Tel. Col. Tr. 5s, 1938	84	85
Wilson & Co. 1941	90¾	91¼
Liberty 3½s	99.00	99.04
Liberty 4s	92.50	92.50
Liberty 2nd 4s	91.24	91.36
U. S. 1st 4s, 1950	91¾	92
U. S. 2nd 4s, 1942	91¾	92
Liberty 1st 4¼s	93.20	93.24
Liberty 2nd 4¼s	91.82	91.86
Liberty 4th 4¼s	91.72	91.76
Victory 4¾s	99.08	99.09

NEW YORK CURB CLOSE.

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NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—Closing quotations:

	Close—Bid.	Close—Ask.
Industrials—		
Air Reduction	49	51
Aetna Explosive	5	6
Chevrolet	200	205
Curtis Aero	10	12
Elk Horn	12	13
Lake Torpedo	11¾	12
Submarine	3	3½
Wright-Mar	10	11
Mines—		
Alaska Gold	3	3¼
Beaver Con	1¾	2
Big Ledge	1	1¼
Boston Con	1¾	1¾
Butte Coalition	19	19¼
Calumet & Jerome	1	1¼
Chief Con	1	1¼
Con Arizona	1	1¼
Con Coppermines	5	5¼
Cortez	1	1¼
Crown Reserve	1	1¼
Davis Daly	1	1¼
Dundee Arizona	1	1¼
Eagle-Bird	1	1¼
Elder Creek	1	1¼
Emma Nevada	1	1¼
Florence	1	1¼
Goldfield Con	1	1¼
Goldfield Merger	1	1¼
Gold Zone	1	1¼
Hecla	1	1¼
Howe Sound	1	1¼
Jerome Verde	1	1¼
Kerr Lake	1	1¼
La Rose	1	1¼
Magma Chief	1	1¼
Majestic	1	1¼
Mason Valley	1	1¼
Mex Con	1	1¼
Mines Co.	1	1¼
Nevada Hills	1	1¼
New Baltic	1	1¼
New Cornelia	1	1¼
Nipissing	1	1¼
Ohio Copper	1	1¼
Oil—		
Boston Wyoming	1	1¼
Cosden	1	1¼
Island Oil	1	1¼
Mexican Panuco	1	1¼
Midwest Refining	1	1¼
Ohio Fuel	1	1¼
Okmulgee	1	1¼
Prairie Oil	1	1¼
Prairie Pipe	1	1¼
Ryan Con	1	1¼
Salt Creek	1	1¼
Simms Petroleum	1	1¼
Southern Oil	1	1¼
Texas Pacific	1	1¼
Tidal Osage	1	1¼
Tropical Oil	1	1¼
Victoria	1	1¼
Wilcox Oil	1	1¼
Wyoming	1	1¼
Miscellaneous—		
Bethlehem Motors	1	1¼
Cuba Cane Sugar	1	1¼
Cuba Cane Sugar pf	1	1¼
Cuba Dist	1	1¼
Havana Tobacco	1	1¼
Havana Tobacco pf	1	1¼
Intercontinental Rubber	1	1¼
Internat Motors	1	1¼
Internat Motors pf	1	1¼
Lake Torpedo	1	1¼
Lehigh Coal & Nav	1	1¼
Lehigh Valley	1	1¼
Manhattan Transit	1	1¼
Mexican Petroleum	1	1¼
Mexican Petroleum pf	1	1¼
Motor Products	1	1¼
Motor Wheel	1	1¼
Nat Enamel & Stamp	1	1¼
Nat Enamel & Stamp pf	1	1¼
Nat Motor Car	1	1¼
Nat Sugar Refining	1	1¼
Nat Transit	1	1¼
Nevada Con	1	1¼
Nevada Con Wyo	1	1¼
Nevada Wyo Dev	1	1¼
New Jersey Zinc	1	1¼
Nipissing	1	1¼
Ohio Copper	1	1¼
Ohio Fuel	1	1¼
Okmulgee	1	1¼
Prairie Oil	1	1¼
Prairie Pipe	1	1¼
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Tropical Oil	1	1¼
Victoria	1	1¼
Wilcox Oil	1	1¼
Wyoming	1	1¼

FOREIGN BOND LIST: LATEST QUOTATIONS.

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NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—Following are quotations on foreign bonds today:

Bonds—	Close—Bid.	Close—Asked.
Anglo-French 5s, Oct.	93¾	94
U. K. 5½s, Nov. 1, 1921	97¾	98
U. K. 5½s, Nov. 1, 1937	97¾	98
Paris 6s, 1921	94¾	95
Russian 1915	21	24
Russian 1916	21	24
Dominion of Canada 5s, 1931	97¾	98¼
Dominion of Canada 5s, 1937	97¾	98¼
Dominion of Canada 5½ 5s, 1926	98¾	99¼
Dominion of Canada 5½ 5s, 1929	98¾	99¼
Victory 4¾s	99.08	99.10
United Kingdom 5½s, 1937	97¾	98¼

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BOSTON COPPER MARKET

[Furnished by A. H. Clary & Co., 119 West Fourth street, Los Angeles.]

BOSTON, Dec. 26.—Closing quotations:

	Bid.	Asked.
Ahmeek	85	90
Arcadian	19	20
Bingham	32	33
Calumet & Arizona	70	72
Calumet & Hecla	500	510
Centennial	30	31
Copper Range	60	62
Daly West	20	21
Franklin	8	9
Hancock	20	21
Isle Royale	15	16
Kerr Lake	6	6¼
La Salle	6	6¼
Mass Con	13	13¼
Michigan	7¼	7¾
Mohawk	60	62
Nipissing	7¾	8
North Butte	50	52
Old Colony	30	31
Old Dominion	50	52
Osceola	85	87
Parrot	30	31
Quincy	70	72
Ray Con	13¾	14
Shannon	10	11
Superior	30	31
Superior & Boston	1	1¼
Tamarack	60	62
Trinity	30	31
Utah Con	10	10¼
Utah Metals	6	6¼
U. S. Smelting	50	51
U. S. Smelting pf	48	49
Victoria	3¼	3½
Winona	3	3¼
Wolverine	50	52
Wyandot	1¾	2

*Ex-dividend.

HOME AND FOREIGN BOND QUOTATIONS.

[Furnished by the National City Co. of California, 507 South Spring street.]

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 26.—Following are closing quotations on domestic and foreign bonds held in this city:

Security and Maturity—	Bid.	Asked.
Am. Tel. & Tel. 5s, Feb. 1, 1924	93¼	93¾
Fis. T. & T. Co. 6s, Aug. 1, 1925	97½	99
Am. Tobacco 6s, Nov. 15, 1923	101¼	102
Anaconda 6s, Jan. 1, 1929	95	96
Anglo-French 5s, Oct. 15, 1920	93¾	93¾
Armour 6s, June 15, 1925	100	110
Beth. Steel 7s, July 15, 1923	100¾	100¾
British 5½s, Nov. 1, 1921	93¾	93¾
British 5½s, Feb. 1, 1937	87¾	87¾
Canadian 7½s, Aug. 1, 1921	99	99
Canadian 5½s, Aug. 1, 1926	93¾	93¾
Chesapeake 6s, Aug. 1, 1939	97	97
Chicago 7s, July 15, 1930	100¾	101
Federal Farm 5s, 1939	91¾	92
Illinois Central 4s, Mar. 1, 1966	76¾	77¾
Illinois Central 5½s, an., 1934	93¾	93¾
Inter. R. T. 7s, secs., 1921	97	98
Inter. R. T. 7s, secs., 1927	97	98
Inter. R. T. 7s, secs., 1932	97	98
Japan 6s, Feb. 15, 1925	97¾	98
Japan 4½s, Feb. 15, 1925	87¾	88
Pacific T. & T. 6s, March 1, 1937	102¾	103
Pacific T. & T. 5s, 1937	90	90
Pacific Gas 6s, 1942	84¾	85
Pacific Gas 5s, 1942	84¾	85
Pacific Gas 6s, Sept. 15, 1920	99	99
Pacific Gas 6s, Sept. 15, 1930	99	99
Pacific Gas 6s, Sept. 15, 1940	99	99
Pacific Gas 6s, Sept. 15, 1950	99	99
Pacific Gas 6s, Sept. 15, 1960	99	99
Pacific Gas 6s, Sept. 15, 1970	99	99
Pacific Gas 6s, Sept. 15, 1980	99	99
Pacific Gas 6s, Sept. 15, 1990	99	99
Pacific Gas 6s, Sept. 15, 2000	99	99
Pacific Gas 6s, Sept. 15, 2010	99	99
Pacific Gas 6s, Sept. 15, 2020	99	99
Pacific Gas 6s, Sept. 15, 2030	99	99
Pacific Gas 6s, Sept. 15, 2040	99	99
Pacific Gas 6s, Sept. 15, 2050	99	99
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MOTHER OF NEW SPARED ORDEAL ON THE STAND.

Both Sides Admit the Facts of Slayer's Birth; Letters are Introduced to Show His Low Mentality.

(Continued from First Page.)

John W. Clay pool and the firm represented Mrs. Burger in her negotiations with Senator New relative to the support of Harry New. Mr. Williams said that Harry had always suffered from melancholia, and was of low mentality. Mr. Williams said that Harry would "have spells" and that he would often come into the law office and begin his conversation by saying, "Well, I am in trouble again. I am always getting into trouble."

The witness said that "Big Harry" as Mr. Williams called Senator New, met "Little Harry," the defendant, on the street at Indianapolis and that Harry, expecting the Senator would not speak to him, turned away his head, but that the Senator walked up to Harry, and put his arm around him and took the young man up to his office where he talked to the boy for two hours. The witness said that the defendant always eulogized Senator New. In the opinion of the witness Harry New, the defendant, knew the difference between right and wrong.

Stephen F. Kestler, of Indianapolis, who was acquainted with the defendant for sixteen years, testified that Harry was not mentally "right" and that "New would just as leave hit you on the head with a club, if he got mad." The witness said that in his opinion there were many persons locked up in the "bug house," as the witness called the insane asylum, who were not half as crazy as New.

Kestler told of Harry New, on his return from the West, wearing a cowboy costume including "chaps" on the streets of Indianapolis much as a small boy would have done, but not, in the opinion of the witness, as a man of the age of Harry New would have done. The witness also told of Harry New's fleeing from an undertaking shop because he saw the undertaker at work on a corpse. And Harry said that he was "superstitious about dead people."

Letters offered by the defense to show the backward mentality of the defendant were introduced yesterday.

One letter written from Los Angeles on February 24, last, by New to his aunt, Miss Scudder, as it appears in the exhibits, with spelling and punctuation unchanged, follows:

"Dear Mattie

"How is Billie the dog and everything.

"Mattie will you send me my knapsack you know that canvas bag with the U. S. on it I ned it to carry grub to the Hills send it so I can use it next Sunday or the next and send my tools to and I will send you the stamps

"I take a hike every Sunday

"Every one in the best of health here and hope with you the same I will send you my dogs picture he hiks with me

"by by for this time

"loveingly yours

"the same old nuisance

"Harry"

At the time of writing this letter New was 31 years old. The handwriting is very poor.

LETTER FROM SCHOOL.

A second letter written to Miss Scudder by New from St. Edward's Hall, Notre Dame College, where New for a time was a student in the lower grade, or classes for young boys, is dated November 24, 1899, and was as follows:

"My dear Mattie

"I get your letters all the time now I was glad to get your letter—I am well and strong

"We had a fine lecture on Manila winters views. I send loves and kisses

"your loving son,

"Harry Clancy"

Testimony has been introduced that New often used the name of Clancy, which was the last name of Mrs. Burger's second husband. James Clancy, who was the father of New's half-sister, Edna Clancy, who will be an important witness for the defense, and who has stood by New steadfastly since his arrest.

AID FROM SENATOR.

The letters were introduced during the reading of the deposition of Miss Scudder, Mrs. Burger's sister, who testified that for many years she received money from Senator New and spent it for Harry.

Miss Scudder's testimony was interesting in view of the fact that the aunt had come into closer contact with the defendant throughout his life than any other person with the exception of New's mother. Miss Scudder testified:

"Harry never developed. He was the despair of my life. He always brooded over his birth."

Miss Scudder testified that Mrs. Burger, New's mother, has been married three times—first to John Gunn, now dead, then to James Clancy, and finally to Samuel Burger.

TRIAL POSTPONED.

The reading of the last deposition was completed at 11:05 o'clock yesterday and then by agreement of counsel the trial was postponed until Monday morning at 10 o'clock, as Mr. Woolwine had at the opening of court told Judge Craig he was suffering from an abcess of a tooth which was causing him much pain. Mr. Woolwine was excused and the reading of the depositions

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U. S. Senator New.

went on in his absence under the direction for the State of Deputy District Attorney Keyes.

The judge had a conference before court opened yesterday with all of the attorneys in the case relative to statements published in several local newspapers that before the trial started there had been discussions between both sides relative to entering and receiving a plea of guilty from the defendant, but that no agreement could be reached. Attorneys for both sides protested against the publication of the articles in question. The newspaper men had a brief conference with the court in chambers. No further action in the matter, it is expected, will be taken.

TO BIG CONVENTION

Southland Student Volunteers Go to Des Moines Today.

A large delegation from Southern California colleges will leave on the Santa Fe train at 9 a.m. today to attend the student volunteer convention at Des Moines, Iowa. The University of Southern California will have twenty-six delegates, with Francis A. Selecman as leader; Occidental, Pomona, Whittier and Redlands colleges also will be represented. The delegates will occupy two special cars. The convention is held every four years and 8000 representatives will be present. The first convention was held thirty years ago and was attended by 600. The delegates are students interested in religious ideals. The University of California will have ninety-two representatives and Stanford will have its quota.

WIDOW IS WINNER.

Supreme Court Upholds Ruling on an Unusual Legal Point.

Another twist was given to the distribution of the estate of Fred E. Jepson yesterday when the State Supreme Court affirmed the judgment of the Superior Court relating to a legacy of $12,000 involved in the estate of the testator.

The action was brought by the heirs of Jepson against the widow, Elise Jepson, on appeal from a decree of distribution, involving the claim of the heirs as beneficiaries.

The record shows that some time before his death Jepson wrote a will by which he devised to his widow certain notes and mortgages valued at $12,000. Before his death these evidences of indebtedness were paid. The lower court, whose opinion is affirmed, held the legacy was specific and therefore a plain case of ademption, whereas the heirs contended that the legacy was a general one and that they were entitled to $12,000 out of the general assets of the estate.

Inasmuch as the widow still lives, the $12,000 involved in the specific legacy is held by her during her lifetime, and then descends to the heirs of a brother of the deceased, Jacob Jepson.

OLDEST SWINDLE IS WORKED ONCE AGAIN.

The time-worn swindle of having $10,000 to give away to the poor was worked with great success yesterday on G. Gamos, 620 South Main street, and according to his report to the police cost him just $1000. Mr. Gamos put up his money as a pledge of good faith with two strangers who had the $10,000 to give away. When he opened the package supposed to contain the $10,000 he found several rolls of newspapers.

HELD TO ANSWER.

C. Stoneharger, accused of manslaughter in the death of Mrs. Guadalupe Ortez, who died from injuries received in an automobile accident at Main street and Moneta avenue, was held to answer yesterday by Justice Forbes.

COMMITS SUICIDE.

Registering in a rooming-house at 746 South Main street as Oscar Horsch, of Cucamonga, a man about 25 years of age yesterday ended his life by firing a revolver shot through his brain. The body was discovered by the manager of the hotel early yesterday morning. Horsch left no note explaining his act and the police are attempting to find some motive for the suicide. The body is being held at the undertaking establishment of Alvares and Blue.

ASK PHELAN TO SPEAK.

Plans for a public meeting, to be held probably in Temple Auditorium, and to be addressed by U. S. Senator Phelan, were made last evening at a meeting of the board of directors of the Los Angeles County Anti-Asiatic Association, held in Ramona Hall. Word is being awaited from Senator Phelan before fixing the date of the meeting. William I. Traeger is president of the association, which claims to have a membership of 150,000 in Los Angeles county.

James W. Hacket of New York is at it again with new tailoring sensations, 519 South Spring street. Hotel Alexandria Annex.—[Advertisement.

FIRST PARKING PLANS DOOMED.

Change in Radical Measure is Now Made Certain.

Three More Compromise Laws Proposed by Officials.

Workman, Criswell, Fleming Advance Varying Ideas.

Prospects that the proposed no-parking ordinance will be adopted in its original radical form, which has raised a storm of protests, were practically eliminated yesterday, in the opinion of careful observers, when three more compromise plans were advanced by members of the City Council. It is stated the ordinance now being drawn by the City Attorney will be presented as first planned, but that fights, both in committee and on the floor of the Council, are certain, and the form of the law cannot remain unchanged.

The compromise plans were added yesterday by President Workman of the Council and by Councilmen Fleming and Criswell to that already put forward by Councilmen Langdon and Sanborn.

President Workman proposes that parking shall be prohibited during business hours on Main and Hill streets from Third to Ninth street, and on all cross streets in the same region. The restriction on Seventh street he would extend from Los Angeles to Hill street. He would permit a short parking limit on Broadway and Spring streets.

CRISWELL PLAN.

Councilman Criswell would alter the boundaries of the no-parking district to include: Fourth street from Main to Olive, Fifth from Main to Grand avenue, Sixth from Main to Flower, Seventh from Main to Figueroa, Eighth from Main to Flower, Ninth from Main to Grand avenue; Main, Spring, Broadway and Hill from Third to Ninth; Olive from Fourth to Ninth, Grand avenue from Fifth street to Ninth, and Hope and Flower from Sixth to Eighth.

Councilman Fleming proposes, on the other hand, that no-parking restrictions in any area shall not be adopted until the city had tried a plan of moving the traffic on Broadway and Spring, Main and Hill streets at two-minute intervals, cross-town traffic to move in each odd interval.

None of the compromise plans is being drafted formally, but all will appear in committee or on the floor of the Council, it is expected.

Proponents of the original radical plan, that has been denounced on all sides as too severe and as ill-considered, are using as a club the representation that rejection of a big no-parking district will mean an advance in street-car fares, in view of recommendations by the State Railroad Commission for measures that will be necessary to keep the 5-cent rate.

FURTHER COMMENT.

Meantime, still more condemnation was heaped on the original plan. The following comments were made yesterday by Los Angeles business men in touch with the motor-car situation:

EARL V. ABBOTT, manager Frank O. Renstrom Company—An ordinance of some kind is absolutely necessary, but the one proposed by the City Council is far too severe and impractical.

GEORGE W. FRANKLIN, Security Motor Corporation—The ordinance will mean a great hardship upon the busy business man who finds the automobile an absolute necessity.

FRANCES C. DAVIDSON, Davidson, House & Meyer—I feel that the measure is far too radical, and that a more rigid enforcement of shorter time limits within the business area would remedy present traffic conditions and still work no hardship upon automobile users.

M. A. LEACH, president Leach Biltwell Motor Company—The ordinance as proposed by the Council will tend to discourage shopping, thereby working a great hardship upon the city's buying public and merchants. Why should Los Angeles have to enforce such a severe parking ordinance, when cities the size of New York prohibit cars parking only upon one main business street?

H. J. COGER, manager Troy Motor Sales Company—I have been through the largest cities of the East, and I can truthfully say that we have here the worst traffic situation in the country. The City Council is continually wrangling over the problem, doing nothing and refusing to hear any suggestions that are made by those interested in the case. The proposed ordinance will paralyze things to such an extent that it will take a year or two to recover, if it ever goes into effect. Instead of trying experiments to prove the best method of handling the situation, the Council now proposes to pass a radical and drastic measure, which would undoubtedly be of the greatest harm to the community. Why not get a traffic commission that knows something about the problem, and let such a body solve it logically?

FOR WAR HISTORY.

Committee Asks Appropriation for Obtaining County Data.

The War History Committee, through Francis M. Carlton Harmon, asked the Supervisors yesterday to donate a small sum toward the work of collecting and recording the names and securing the photographs of the men who served in the army and navy. The committee is receiving the support of the county in this work of preserving for posterity the names and photographs of the Los Angeles county boys who were a part of the great American fighting machine during the war. Frank S. Daggett represents the county on the State committee.

FOR SEWER AND DRAIN.

The City Council yesterday adopted an ordinance for the construction of a sewer in Temple and Vine streets by private contracts. Funds were appropriated for the construction of a storm drain in Marquez avenue, Westgate. The Council denied the request of the Taft Land and Development Company that the city pay the engineering fees in connection with the Laurel Canyon storm drain.

TEACHER AND AUTHOR HELD.

Taken on Criminal Syndicalism Charge; Red Literature Seized.

On chares of criminal syndicalism, William G. Henry, an author, 52 years old, and Joseph Wright, a teacher of elocution, 53 years old, were arrested by American Legionaires and members of the police "bomb squad" in their room at 269 South Olive street ight. They are held in the City Jail.

A quantity of Bolshevik literature, as well as many Socialist publications was found in their room.

HIT BY A TRAILER.

Court Considers Validity of Woman's Damage Release.

Mrs. Bettie Zaugg was riding in an automobile near Montebello when she was injured in an unusual manner, it developed at the hearing of her damage suit yesterday. A truck to which was attached a trailer swung around, the trailer striking Mrs. Zaugg's automobile. The result was Mrs. Zaugg's spine was injured. She sued A. W. Peters for $50,000 damages.

During the trial of the case before Judge Avery Mr. Peters introduced an agreement signed by both parties which provided, in consideration of Mr. Peters paying Mrs. Zaugg for the medical and hospital bills, that he would be relieved of any responsibility.

The question the court is considering is whether or not the release precludes Mrs. Zaugg from obtaining a judgment against Mr. Peters.

COAT SHOTS' CAUSE.

Dispute Over Garment Leads to Two Court Actions.

Argument over the possession of an overcoat was the cause of a shooting affray on Christmas Eve at 1001 East Ninth street, the residence of Garpar Marsiglio, according to a complaint for assault with a deadly weapon issued yesterday by Deputy District Attorney Randall against Marsiglio. It is charged he shot three times at J. F. Forster, 716 Merchant street.

Forster says he went to the defendant's house and said he did not have the disputed overcoat, but Marsiglio shot at him.

Marsiglio was given a sixty-day suspended sentence in Police Court just before his arrest by county authorities.

SEEK MURDER AUTO.

Police Fail to Find Car that Killed Woman and Raced Away.

Although the police yesterday searched every garage in the city for a trace of the murder automobile which on Christmas night killed Miss Mary McLeod, 60 years old, of 329 West First street, as she was attempting to board a street car at Stephenson and Euclid avenues, and then was driven away at top speed, no clew to the car could be found. A license-plate number secured by a witness to the killing was run down yesterday by detectives, but proved to be the wrong number.

Miss McLeod was struck down by a large green automobile, which was being driven at a high rate of speed. The man behind the wheel of the automobile did not stop following the accident, but put on full speed. Before medical attention could be called Miss McLeod died. Detectives stated that if the man driving the death car can be located a murder charge will be placed against him

JURY FINDS JOE MILLER IS GUILTY.

Joe Miller was convicted by a jury in U. S. District Judge Trippet's court yesterday of securing possession of two registered letters addressed to Fred D. Haughawort, and will be sentenced Monday afternoon.

Miller picked up a letter addressed to Haughawort, sent by the latter's parents at Salem, Or., telling him that two registered letters, one containing a $50 government bond and a second letter from the Red Cross, San Francisco, could be had by calling at the general delivery. Miller went to the general delivery and represented himself to be Haughawort, and secured the letters, according to Inspector Cookson, who investigated.

Haughawort is a discharged soldier and has been sent by the government to a local medical school for education.

SAYS ANIMALS DON'T RECEIVE GOOD CARE.

In a complaint issued yesterday by Deputy District Attorney Randall, Mrs. Jane Carberry, Manchester and Moneta avenues, was accused of keeping animals without providing them with proper food, water or shelter. The complaint was issued on request of Humane Officer Nanney, who claims that Mrs. Carberry has six horses and nine cows in a corral, but does not take proper care of them.

TO PLANT TREES.

County Nursery is Ready to Start Work on Fire Areas.

The county nursery at Altadena has 300,000 pine trees growing which will be planted on the burned mountainsides in flood-control work. Yesterday County Forester Flintham was notified by the Supervisors that he is authorized to establish camps at Big Dalton and near San Dimas from which gangs will work planting these trees. Chaparral seed also will be sown on the mountainsides.

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Shop at Hamburger's all day today.

GIRL'S GONE; FEARS FATHER TOOK HER.

Mrs. Maria Clavorie of 119½ South Spring street reported to the juvenile bureau at the Police Station yesterday that her daughter, Helen, aged 6 years, had disappeared from the sidwalk in front of her residence about 4 p.m. The woman expressed the belief that the child has been taken by its father, Joseph B. Clavorie, from whom she is separated. The little girl has light hair, cut Buster Brown style.

HUNT BAY CITY MAN MISSING ON BORDER.

Police of this city and San Diego were asked yesterday to hunt for Henry Raffo, a member of a manufacturing firm of San Francisco, whose relatives at Oakland believe he has crossed into Mexico and has met with foul play. He left the Bay region several weeks ago on a motor trip that he said might take him into the southern republic. His brother, Frank, died at Oakland yesterday.

A CALIFORNIA CHRISTMAS.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

GLENDALE, Dec. 26.—Just because it couldn't be done "back home," Dr. Milton H. Berry, who recently purchased a home here after moving his family from Evanston, Ill., has converted a large fir tree growing in his front lawn into a beautifully-illuminated Christmas tree. There are six children in the Berry family, all of whom received their presents from the tree yesterday morning, and then led the other youngsters of the neighborhood in dances about the evergreen. "There is an orange tree in the back yard," said the doctor, "which is going to yield a crop of presents next year."

The tree will be illuminated each evening until New Year's, and is attracting much attention.

SANTA ANA LICENSES.

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SANTA ANA, Dec. 26.—Marriage licenses here: Frank A. Colbert, 21, and Ollie McLeod, 20, both Los Angeles; Orville Jacob Youngren, 22, Blythe, and Dovie Marie Upton, 18, La Habra; Henry Kemp, 42, Los Angeles, and Beatrice Ridges, 32, Santa Monica; Edgar Allen Sherwood, 40, and Laura Joanne Cutter, 39, both Los Angeles; Norman Andrew Reeves, 26, Corona, and Ellen Rose Carrillo, 23, Yorba; John William Cahill, 23, and Margaret Elisabeth Law, 18, both Los Angeles.

CHILD IS BURNED.

Margarett Mouw, 10 years of age, of Arcadia, was seriously burned early yesterday morning and her uncle, Samuel T. Shirley of 124 West Thirty-fifth street, at whose home the accident occurred, was burned about the hands and arms, when the child stepped too close to a gas heater while dressing and swept her skirt through the flames. Shirley attempted to beat out the fire with his hands. Both were treated at the Receiving Hospital and will recover.

INCORPORATIONS.

The Dorothy L. Miller Drug Company, Inc.; incorporators, John W. Miller, Frank H. Miller, C. H. Stiteley, Frank W. Murphy, Helen W. Pearson; capital stock, $100,000; subscribed, $500. Argyle Electric Company; incorporators, John King, Fred A. Miller, Roy G. Miller; capital stock, $10,000; subscribed, $300.

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ON LIQUOR CHARGE.

Penfilo Martinez of Santa Ana was before U. S. Commissioner Long yesterday on the charge of violation of the War-time Prohibition Act. It is charged he disposed of three pints of red liquor to a thirsty traveler. The bond of Martinez was fixed at $500.

RESUME HIGHWAY WORK.

Construction on the Mint Canyon highway, which was halted by a controversy, will now proceed between Acton and Palmdale, according to the Supervisors, who stated that property owners on the right-of-way have donated enough land to guarantee the work. The county turned the highway over to the State to construct it.

HAUL IS SMALL.

Yeggmen who opened a safe in the office of the Colman Lumber Company at Bell station, between Christmas eve and yesterday morning, got only $16 and a sack of bran, according to report to Sheriff Cline's Deputies Lips and

ON UNIFORM

W. J. Temple, who was honorably discharged from the was held in $250 bond to missioner Long pending ly wearing a uniform of the navy. Temple was at the Subscription that he had a form that he was

AS WIFE

Samuel C. Hills was terday by Deputy Anderson on a charge his wife at Wilmington was lodged in the await extradition is an ex-soldier and conductor for the way.

SUNDAY MORNING,

TRY TO KILL MINE HEAD

Four Shots Fired at Pueblo Manager.

Striking Steel Workers Believed to be Back of Attempted Murder.

Denver Guardsmen Rush to Protect Minnequa Men from Rioters.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

PUEBLO (Colo.) Dec. 27.—An attempt was made at o'clock last night on the life Frank E. Parks, manager of the Minnequa plant of the Colorado Fuel and Iron Company, accord ing to announcement by Mr Parks today.

Riots followed resumption this week of work in the plan after it had been closed since September by the strike.

The attack on Mr. Parks was made by two men as he was returning to his home from his of ce. Mr. Parks noticed his automobile this morning and found four bullet holes there in.

The attack on the life of Mr. Parks was the climax of violence this week in connection with the re-opening of the steel mills. Last Sunday a crowd of women, mostly of foreign birth, met a number of workers and threw stones at them. A riot call was sent to the police station, but by the time the police patrol reached the scene, the crowd had dispersed. Tuesday afternoon the women again met the workers and started throwing stones. Police arrested eight of the rioters. It was necessary for the police to send to the Pueblo Station for guns and when these were given to the mob, which had grown to more than 1000, it dis-

Of the eight arrested five were released on the prisoners $100, which was paid by the strike committee. Today a crowd gathered at the plant, but police, armed with shotguns, kept the crowd

Tuesday five men in an automobile were arrested near the steel plant by police because they refused to obey the orders to "move on." They were found to be heavily armed.

While Mr. Parks was telling newspapermen at his office this afternoon of the attempt on his life last night, he was called to the telephone. The message said several men were coming to Pueblo with the purpose of obtaining employment at the steel plant and then blowing up the works. The informant would not divulge his name.

An attempt at jail break was made at the Pueblo County Jail at 6 o'clock this evening. The escape of the prisoners was frustrated by shots fired by one of the guards, seriously wounding an inmate by the name of Cook, said to be a ringleader, who probably will die. Mr. Hershey Coats was severely beaten by the prisoners before help arrived.

DENVER, Dec. 27.—A request for troops to protect workmen at the Minnequa plant of the Colorado Fuel and Iron Company at Pueblo was received here tonight. Adjt.-Gen. Hall immediately began preparations for the dispatch of a detachment of the National Guard. Fifty Denver guardsmen under command of Col. Dennis E. McCoskrie and Capt. R. W. Taggert will leave for Pueblo tonight, arriving there early tomorrow.

THE DAY'S NEWS

THE SKY. Clear. Wind at 5 a.m. (6 miles velocity, 3 miles. Thermometer, highest, 52 deg.; lowest, 36 deg. Forecast: For Los Angeles and vicinity: Sunday fair, with heavy frost in interior in morning. Gentle winds, mostly northerly. For complete weather report see last page of this section.

THE CITY. Albert Norwood, victim of Friday's strange shooting, was identified as an ex-convict and believed to have been the object of underworld feud in which the gun man was marked for death. Gus "Finn Prophet," was arrested in Chicago and is being held here to answer a grand jury indictment.

Ex-New York messenger was held here and over $50,000 of a total of $141,000 in stolen Liberty bonds found on him. A Los Angeles City policeman was in the same case.

"Two-Fingered Jack" Godwin, the Chinese, was arrested in San Bernardino and held for grand jury investigation.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA. All of Long Beach's winter hotels open for the season.

Man who fired shot into home of Fullerton Harbors banker makes statement.

Fisherman drowns in flood control channel at Long Beach.

OLIVE HILL SLOPE. Most dangerous German spy caught during war is not yet executed, waiting word of President Wilson.

WASHINGTON. International Dry Federation ready to launch campaign